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YELLOW FEVER

CONQUERED BY SCIENCE THROUGH DESTRUCTION OF THE BACILLUS—FULL ACCOUNT OF IT IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

PRINCE FOR IRELAND

THE DUKE OF YORK HAS MANY PALATIAL RETREATS TO SELECT FROM—A ROYAL RESIDENCE—READ ABOUT IT IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

FIRST EDITION

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for New England: Fair, preceded by showers in the early morning on the southern coast; southwesterly winds.

ALMANAC, TUESDAY, SEPT. 14.
Sun rises—5:24; sets, 6:55.
Length of day—12:31.
Moon rises—7:09 p. m.
High water—1 a. m.; 1:30 p. m.

SUPERIOR COURT

Morton-Bradbury Stone Case Goes on.

SUIT TO RECOVER $1500 AND INTEREST.

The Defense Goes on To-day.

The case of Morton vs. Bradbury-Stone Storage Battery company took the entire session yesterday. Mr. Morton seeks to recover $1500 which he alleges is owed him by the defendants, with interest since 1893. He testified he was engaged for one year as general manager of the defendant company at a salary of $3000, of which sum he claims there is $1500 due him. Mr. Burke raised the question, on the evidence, that the plaintiff was engaged as general manager of a company not then organized and not the Bradbury-Stone company.

Mr. Foster replied that a vote was passed to engage Mr. Morton as manager of that company until a new company was organized.

The court inquired whether the plaintiff relied upon a written contract in the form of the vote and a letter from the secretary of the company, making the proposition as to salary.

Mr. Foster replied in the affirmative and that if the court ruled that there was no written contract, he should rely upon a verbal contract.

The court so ruled and allowed an exception. Another letter from the secretary was presented, stating that Mr. Morton would be recognized as the manager of the Bradbury-Stone company until the new company was organized and that the terms would be the same as previously proposed.

The afternon session was taken up with arguments of points raised by counsel on both sides and the case is on today. The defense will make a denial of the contract.

LANDS AND BUILDINGS

NEW SYSTEM OF HEATING CITY BUILDINGS.

A new system of heating and ventilation will probably be introduced into city hall and Memorial building. It is the Evans-Almwall Heating company's arrangement and the proposition is to put in a system of piping for hot water heating and ventilating without cost to the city and to heat the buildings in a manner satisfactory to the city for a term of six years, at a cost per annum of the amount paid to maintain the present system last year, the plant then to become the property of the city without further expense.

On motion of Councilman Dana, it was voted to refer to the city council a communication bearing upon the matter, together with a resolution recommending the acceptance of the proposition.

Alderman Peirce asked what was being done about the Moody street school. Supt. Bray replied that the plans would be ready next week and that the foundation was being laid.

Mr. Peirce said that he believed that it was a mistake to let any contracts until the plans were complete, since such a policy had worked to the detriment of the city in the past. He cited school buildings that it had been necessary to rebuild in part, and said that a foundation should not be put in until the heating and ventilating system to be adopted was agreed upon.

Huntington hall then came up for consideration, though not upon any particular question. The committee still has hopes that that some individual will take the hall for $1000 a year, and allow the city the use of it for a certain number of days a year. The lease will run for 22 years yet.

Then something was said about building a house for the water tower on the land owned by the city at Paige and John streets and it was learned that the storehouse owned by the Boott mills is still standing upon it.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

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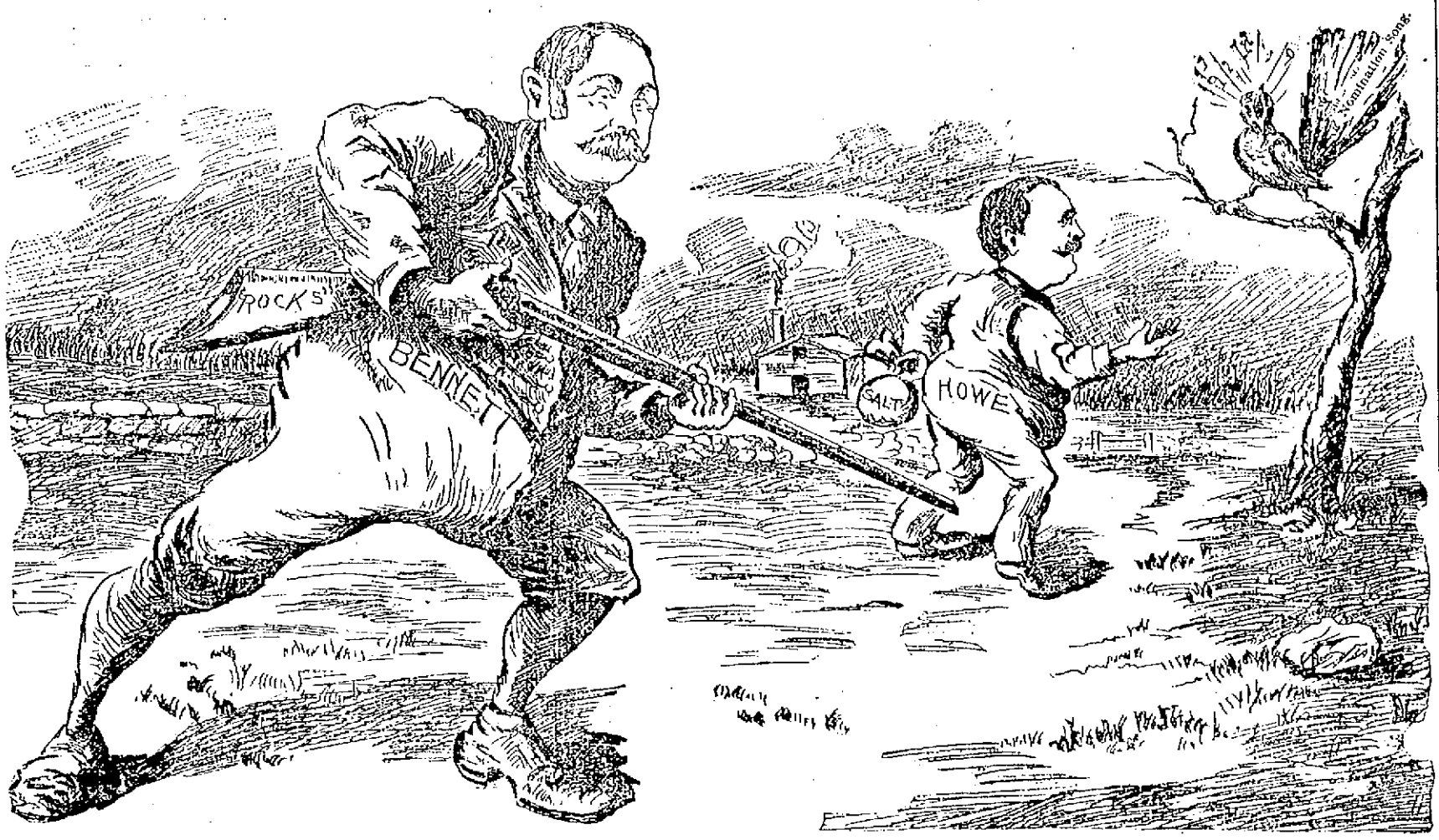
DIFFERENT WAYS OF CATCHING THE BIRD.



HOWE:—"Come birdie, come and sing with me; we will be gay and happy free."
BENNETT:—"Fudge! this is the only way to get that bird."

HAZLETON LIKE A VOLCANO

Before Eruption so Feverish Was the Excitement Last Night.

Uncertainty of the Situation—Orderliness of the Funeral Processions a Marked Feature.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 14.—Hazleton quivered last night on the edge of a volcano. Uncertainty was the key-note of the situation, and the town sleeplessly awaited the dawn of a day fraught with unknown and fearful possibilities. Troops were sent to the mines of Coxe Bros. at Eckley, which nestles in a valley about 18 miles from here. Telegrams to brigade headquarters in the afternoon indicated an alarming condition there.

The remoteness of the situation made difficult the securing of definite news from the scene. The first knowledge of disturbance at the Coxe collieries reached brigade headquarters yesterday morning, when General Gobin received a dispatch that 200 miners at Buck Mountain, three miles from Eckley, had gone on strike and began to march on the Eckley mine. Request was made for a detachment of the military to avert possible conflict, but before the soldiers could be started off to the scene the authorities were reassured by the receipt of a second telegram to the effect that the march had been stopped and no further trouble was feared.

In the afternoon a third dispatch changed the situation for the worse. It said the march had been resumed and carried to the Eckley mines, and that the men there had been forced to quit work after rough handling by the marching men. The city troop of Philadelphia, the crack cavalrymen, were instantly ordered to proceed to Eckley. To reach the spot they had to ride over 18 miles of mountain roads. The news has created consternation throughout the district, and all the collieries are preparing for trouble.

General Gobin has been deluged with requests for troops, but declares that he will send none to any point unless an outbreak really occurs. This is a measure of precaution to keep the soldiers mobilized. The mine superintendents are much worried. They accept the lesson offered by the havoc wrought at Gomer Jones' home the other night, and two have asked the brigade commander to place guards around their houses, which will be done.

There is a sensational story afloat concerning a conversation overheard on the streets of Hazleton, but it should be accepted with a reservation. The story goes that a group of miners was standing on a corner, when one was heard to remark: "I've got the material, but I don't know how to mix the damn stuff. If I did I'd blow them up tonight." It is said that the guards were placed about the superintendents' houses as a result of this.

Somebody stole a march on the general, and although he revoked the clause excluding music, there were men in line wearing the uniform of the Italian army and carrying drawn sabres. Six of the latter stood in front of the church during the ceremonies within. Learning of this, the commander promptly dispatched a staff officer and a detail of men to the cemetery, but when they reached there the services were over and the mourners had dispersed.

"The priests gave me their sacred promise that no arms should be carried nor military uniforms worn," said General Gobin. "In moments when a spark might result in the wholesale loss of life and property it seems to me that such things should not be permitted. If I had the slightest idea that their promise would be broken a troop of cavalry would have been there within a few moments." The general added that he would demand an explanation from the clergymen.

As a matter of fact there was little change in the program arranged by the miners for yesterday's funerals. There were 12 in all, but two proceeded from Harwood direct to the cemetery without regard to the other 10, which united in an extensive cortege.

When the start from the shop to the cemetery was made the coffins containing the bodies of the eight Poles were carried each by 10 miners in the regalia of the St. Joseph's society, and the line proceeded to the church. A crowd of fully 5000 jammed the streets in the immediate neighborhood, but there was no disorder of any kind. The platform originally intended for the street in front of the building had been erected before the altar, and here the 10 coffins were laid, while Father Ajust and a number of Polish priests celebrated high mass. In the meantime a gang of miners in the cemetery were blasting rock to make space for a large circular grave, in which all the bodies were interred. There were brief services at the grave, and several of the clergymen made addresses urging the miners to maintain order and remain quietly at their homes.

General Gobin kept his word. During all of the march and the ceremonies there was not a sign of a soldier. Brigade headquarters presented a martial appearance, however, and in the stockyards near the hotel were stationed a battery and a detachment of cavalry ready to move on call. The usual camp discipline was maintained, and no one was permitted to pass any of the lines without a pass from the commander. Mayor Altmiller had been consulted in the meantime, and at General Gobin's order or suggestion, all the saloons in town were closed until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The mayor had been kept to his house for more than a week past by an attack of rheumatism, but the grave developments induced him to hobble to his office.

PEACEABLE DEMONRTRATIONS.

Hazleton, Sept. 11.—Yesterday was regarded as the turning point of the situation because of the prohibition issued by General Gobin against the proposed funeral demonstration. A compromise was effected, however, and the day passed off without disturbance. As a result of General Gobin's order to the Polish priests and citizens, they met him in the morning at brigade headquarters. He told them that he had no objection to the procession, but under no circumstances must there be anything about it in the nature of a military procession or a demonstration to show large numberr. They could bury their dead with all the show of mourning and no religious services of any kind would be interfered with; but they would not be permitted to carry flags, banners, side arms, or to have music in any form. Gobin was very much displeased at the parade of uniformed men during Sunday's funeral, and especially because some of the men carried heavy sabres.

All along the line of the funeral procession and in front of the church where the services were to be held and at the undertaker's establishment crowds of miners and their wives began to gather at an early hour. They came in town from all mining suburbs in the region and taxed the capacity of the trolley cars, while inside the edifice there was not an inch of space. The corpses of the Poles were exposed to view, and the crowd was permitted to pass in single file through the front door of the shop and out at the rear. Decomposition had set in, and the bony, waxen features presented a sight that sent every beholder out of the place with a shudder of horror.

Meanwhile preparations were under way for starting the big parade. Four bands were waiting, with the members of the St. Joseph's and Italian mutual aid societies, wearing their regalia. It was learned that the order prohibiting the bands had not reached these parties from the priests to whom the general gave it, but before it became known by them the brigade commander revoked it and gave permission for the musical accompaniment.

NOTORIOUS ANARCHIST COMING.

Paris, Sept. 14.—Louise Michel, the notorious French anarchist, is going to the United States in October. She will be accompanied by prominent English anarchists, and they will undertake a speech-making tour in America for the purpose of helping anarchist propaganda. Miss Michel believes that the prevailing labor troubles make the present time advantageous for spreading anarchist doctrines. In the meantime a fortnight's similar campaign in Belgium will be closely watched by the European police.

The state department at Washington has instructed all the ministers and consuls of the United States to promptly notify the home government of the departure of anarchists for the United States. It is understood that the authorities at Washington, through their representatives abroad, are in communication with the European police.

At their meeting in Bay State hall last evening, the Iron Moulders' Union discussed the firing upon strikers at Hazleton, though no action was taken upon the matter.

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Dirt of any kind on any thing quickly yields to the easy effort of the housewife who uses this great cleaner. Largest package—greatest economy. Ask the grocer for it.

Hood's Pills
Restore full, regular action of the bowels, do not irritate or inflame, but leave all the delicate digestive organism in perfect condition. Try them. 25 cents. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

CAUCUS NIGHT

Delegates to all Conventions Will be Elected.

NO GREAT INTEREST IN TOMORROW NIGHT'S MEETING.

City Committee Opens It's Headquartets.

Tomorrow night will mark the opening of the democratic campaign in this city. In every ward in the city, caucuses will be held for the election of delegates to the state, councillor, county, senatorial, and representative conventions.

In no ward is there anything that even resembles a contest, and accordingly there is an appearance of inactivity on the democratic side. There is no question that the interest of the local democracy is centered in the municipal fight, which completely overshadows the state contest and has absorbed whatever interest might otherwise center in the latter.

It is not probable that any of the caucuses will be very long, for most likely the choice of delegates to the several conventions will be left to a committee chosen by the voters. There is absolutely no strife for state delegates, for it is an accepted fact that whoever goes to Worcester will stand by the national platform and vote for candidates in accord with the principles of the party. So far as the county officers are concerned, anyone can have them who wants to canvass the delegates, so that there will be no one over anxious to attend that convention. Every year there are voters anxious for a seat in the senatorial convention which carries with it the right to elect a member of the state central committee. So tomorrow night there is liable to be more than a few aspirants for places in that delegation.

Last year a hot and exciting fight was precipitated for representative delegates in the 25th and 27th districts. In the latter, particularly, the fight was warm and not till the returns from the country end of the district came in was there any certainty as to the minutes. In ward two of the first named district the caucus was a big one and nearly every voter came out to express his preference. There were at least half a dozen candidates. This year only only one has declared himself and he is Henry J. Draper. Without doubt he will be given a chance to show his strength at the polls. In the 27th district, where "Joe" Donohoe made so fine a run last year, the only candidates spoken of are James McElholm, Ex-Councilman O'Hare, and Joseph Duffy of Tewksbury. Some people are talking of Joe Donohoe, but he has not intimated that he cares to run again.

In each ward, the chairman of the ward committee will call the caucus to order and after reading the call for the meeting will ask the voters assembled to choose a presiding officer. When the executive of the ward has not been chosen, the chairman of the city committee will read the call or designate some person to perform this duty.

Notwithstanding the apparent lack of interest, the democratic voters should turn out to the caucuses and place only worthy and responsible men in the various delegations. Each ward is entitled to a delegate at large and an additional delegate for every hundred or majority fraction thereof cast for the democratic candidate for president last year.

The voters should remember that the polling places will be the same as last year. The caucuses will be held in the following places and each ward will be entitled to the number of delegates named:

Ward one, Jackson Hall, 5 delegates; ward two, Green School basement, 8 delegates; ward three, Branch Street Engine-house, 3 delegates; ward four, Lyon Street School, 8 delegates; ward five, Boston & Maine depot, 5 delegates ward six, Sixth Street Engine-house, 5 delegates; ward seven, Fletcher Street Engine-house, 5 delegates; ward eight, Highland School basement, 3 delegates; ward 9, High Street Engine-house, 5 delegates.

The democratic city committee has opened fine quarters in the Hildreth building. The old quarters in the Wentworth Block were abandoned because they were not suitable or convenient for the purposes and work of the committee. Chairman Hennessey secured the rooms occupied by the Fourth of July committee, and yesterday they were opened by Secretary Muldoon, who announced that his office hours would be from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily. He will reserve one of the rooms as a private office where the executive committee can meet and transact business, while the large room will be devoted to the transaction of general business.

The office is centrally located for all the wards and it is likely that a telephone will be put in.

The Burkes' minstrels had a fine rehearsal last night under the direction of James A. Murphy. The society is making preparations for the outdoor temperance meeting which will take place at an early date.

SCHOOL SHOES.

Better Quality, Better Shapes

Intelligent people have begun to realize that the shape of children's shoes has been going from bad to worse for quite a while. A reform has been called for, the Orthopedic Surgeons have devoted considerable thought to the subject. Under their direction properly shaped shoes are now made, from the size worn by baby up to the largest size needed. When you get ready to look we will be pleased to show a full line of such shoes, and we trust they will meet with your approval.

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It's quite possible, too, that the good clothes we sell,—those made by Rogers, Peet & Co.—may strike your fancy, meet your wants.

That they're right, we've the fashion plate to show.

Not in every shop will they ask you to compare garments with the custom tailors' plate.

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2 O'CLOCK

THE GRAND JURY

Of Essex County Sitting at Lawrence.

HEARS EVIDENCE OF TWO MURDER CASES.

Nearly a Score of Witnesses Examined.

Lawrence, Sept. 14.—The entire session of the grand jury yesterday was taken up in hearing evidence in two alleged murder cases.

The first considered is that in which Robert Galvin is charged with causing the death of Robert Kydd in Haverhill, early in the summer.

Kydd was foreman in a machine shop, where Galvin had been employed. The two men had some differences previous to the day on which the deed was committed. On the latter day, Galvin went to the machine shop and was soon engaged in an altercation with Kydd.

Finally Galvin is alleged to have whipped out a revolver and discharged the weapon at Kydd. The shot struck a fatal part and the victim soon died. Galvin escaped from the building, but was arrested soon afterward. He has spent the summer at the jail in this city.

Eleven witnesses were heard, the forenoon being taken up with their evidence.

Lynnfield furnishes the other alleged murder case.

July last the building in which John Gullo, an Italian, lived was burned to the ground and the next day the bones of Gullo were found in the ashes. Robbery was ascribed as the motive of the deed, as the Italian had been known to have several gold pieces in his possession, as well as about $175 in other specie.

Suspicions were directed toward one Alfred McWilliams, alias Williams, and when his room was searched, gold pieces tallying with those which Gullo was known to have were found beneath the carpet.

Atty-Gen. Knowlton was present while the evidence was being presented in this case and he will probably take part in the trial of the case, should an indictment be found against the accused.

Nearly a score of witnesses had been summoned in this case.

A BIG FIND

ORE YIELDING $100,000 PER TON.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Colorado Springs, Col., Sept. 14.—Col. Kerney has brought from Cripple Creek a piece of ore weighing over a hundred pounds, whose full free gold aggregated $100,000 to the ton. The ore was taken from a new field made Saturday and the find is the most sensational ever made in Cripple Creek.

Money Deposited
On or before Saturday Oct. 2, at 9 p. m., in the Savings Department of the
Traders' National Bank.
Will draw interest from October 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi annually.
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SOMETHING YOU WANT. A HARD WOOD WASH BENCH given away with 1 pound of our 60c. tea. O'Brien Bros., Tea Dealers 171 E. Merrimack street. Telephone 69-3.

TIMELY ILLUSTRATIONS.

GENERAL LONGSTREET'S BRIDE.

Mrs. James Longstreet, the young wife of the noted Confederate general, was Miss Eileen Dortch. General Longstreet is 76 years old, his wife is 22. She has edited two weekly newspapers and has been assistant state librarian of Georgia.

PRESIDENT IGNACIO ANDRADE.

The new president of Venezuela is a brother of Venezuela's brainy Minister in Washington. President Andrade lived in this country for some time and is a popular and talented statesman.

GENERAL BARTOLOME MASSO.

General Masso, the new president of the Cuban Republic, is a veteran of the ten years war, during which he became a major general. When the martyred Marti gave the word for the beginning of the present war, Masso was among the first at the front.

GENERAL SIR BLONDIN BLOOD.

General Blood, commander of the British army on the Afghan frontier, is familiar with the character of the bellicose Afghans with whom he has to deal. He took part in the Afghan war of 1879-1880, and was awarded a gold medal for his services.

HEAVY TAX BILLS

List of Those Who are Over $500 as Submitted.

FRED AYER STANDS AT THE HEAD.

A Remarkable Jump Over Last Year.

The list of the heavy tax payers was given out yesterday by the assessors, but the Sun was prevented from publishing it because of lack of space. Below are the amounts paid by those whose tax is $500 or more:

The highest individual tax figure is that of Frederick Ayer, $7525, which does not include the assessment of the J. C. Ayer estate, $10,855. The Merrimack Manufacturing company, as usual, leads the corporations, with a tax of $48,708.

WARD ONE.

George L. Cady, $1285; Cook, Taylor, & Co., $1421; William O. Fiske estate, $1124; Warren Fox, $1140; Amos B. French estate, $849; Edward T. Goward, $587; George F. Hill, $815; Henry C Howe, $1306; H. C. & J. F. Howe estate, $1755; John F. Howe estate, $1379; Boutwell Bros., $950; Edward and Michael J. Cahill, $506; Charles B. Coburn & Co., $580; Coffey Bros., $762; James J. and John H. Coffey, $1821; Oblate Fathers' society, $1135; O'Donnell & Gilbride, $2353; Samuel G. Parker, $787; Arthur G. Pollard & Co., $1224; Urban Hall proprietors, $809; John Boyle, $792; Ellen C. Kane, $566; Dartmouth College trustees, $3199; Arthur H. Hosford, $1632; H. H. Hunnewell, $1124; Samuel W. Keyser, $2353; Francis W. Kittredge, $663; Warren Sherburne, $1718; Hirexa C. Southwick, $3500; George P. White, $817; W. H. P. Wright estate, $615; Sarah W. Whitman and Charles Wyman, $3104; Joshua Bennett heirs, $2181.

WARD TWO.

Charles B. Coburn estate, $1735; Patrick Keyes, Jr., $601; Mrs. Margaret Doyle, $509; Francis C. Plunkett, $761; John Ayer estate, $516; Susanna Wyman, $573.

WARD THREE.

Charles H. Allen, $1368; A. L. Brooks & Co., $796; Davis & Burnham, $1105; Thomas H. Elliott, $2136; William H. Parker & Sons, $749; Amasa Pratt & Co., $718; Arthur Staples, $537; William H. Wiggin, $898; Davis & Sargent, $3245; Josiah Gates, children of, $1591; Samuel Horn, $1038; James W. Bennett $1595; Emma C. Carll, $594; John J. Donovan, $1509; Charles J. Glidden, $2180; John F. Manahan, $513; Emanuel J. Medina, $856; Harriet G. Nichols, $783; James F. O'Donnell, $783; George N. Osgood, $793; Francis Perkins, $617; Pevey Bros., $507; Stephen B. Puffer, $1213; William F. Shepard, $734; Mrs. Sidney Spalding, $1151; Henry L. Tibbetts, $560.

WARD FOUR.

Walter H. Bagshaw, $671; Gilman G. Cook, $626; Michael Corbett, $1222; J. B. French estate, $540; C. I. Hood & Co., $2187; James H. McDermott, $1273; Miss E. Cora Webber, $675; George Runels, $5561; Greenwood Bros., $1057; United States Hunting Co., $1922; Mrs. Caroline George, $911.

WARD FIVE.

Annie E. and Lizzie A. Clemence, $532; Fay Brothers & Hosford, $1758; Hosea B. Hill, $683; Thomas F. Hoban, $562; Dennis Murphy, $570; William Nichols heirs and E. D. Fletcher, $766; Putnam & Son, $711; James J. McCarty, $572; William B. Spalding, $2575; Mrs. Tappan Wentworth, $573; Samuel N. Wood, $657; Andrew C. Wheelock, $7060.

WARD SIX.

Thomas F. Fay, $1620; George W. Flint, $792; John H. Harrington, $718; Mrs. Dollie H. Parker, $1520; J. M. G. Parker estate, $1421; Ruth M. and Bertha M. Rugg, $526; L. R. J. and D. H. Varnum, $1242; Albert Viles, $901; Prentiss Webster, $789; Newton J. Wier, $872; Daniel Gage, $3369; John M. Richardson, $1471; Edward P. Woods, $504; Woods, Sherwood & Co., $540; Jacques Boisvert, $614; Seth B. Hall, $677; Rowena H. Read, $710; Seth Gage, $1108; Merrimack Woollen Mills, $520.

WARD SEVEN.

Frederick Ayer, $7525; James C. Ayer, estate, $10,855; Patrick Dempsey, $2308; William H. I. Hayes, $1394; David L. Hill, $654; Daniel S. Kimball estate, $990; Gilman Kimball estate, $591; Mrs. Sarah Kitson estate, $1464; Sewall G. Mack, $1058; Joseph Marin, $1325; Jacob Rogers, $1182; Cyrus K. Russell, $698; Sabra Wright, $631; Charles H. Allen, $710; Jereiah Clark, $1048; Alonzo A. Coburn, $600; Patrick Cummiskey estate, $612; Laura C. Gerrish estate, $874; George W. Harris, $1845; George L. Huntoon, $1481; Daniel Lovejoy & Son, $878; John Lennon, $1375; Patrick Lynch, $977; Daniel J. Murphy, $1665; Percy Parker, $785; Wm. H. Parker, $836; Amasa Pratt, $830; Patrick J. Riley, $632; Earl A. Thissell, $540; Phineas Whiting, $1166; Carney & Covell, $635 Ira M. Chase, $1425; Emery, Peabody & Richardson, $636; Henry Emery estate, $1602; Patrick Teague, $774; Thomas J. Underwood, $511; Thomas Varnum, $742; Alphonso S. Covell, $714.

WARD EIGHT.

Henry M. Bacon, $630; Robert G. Bartlett, $1942; Eliza Bascom estate, $578; William H. Bent, $1521; Josiah Butler estate, $803; Joseph L. Chalifoux, $3067; Stillman Clough, $586; Joseph A. Coram, $2572; Solomon K. Dexter, $1208; Joseph Evans estate, $555; George W. Fifield, $1211; Alfred G. Horne, $657; William A. Ingham, $2340; Francis Jewett estate, $1675; William E. Livingston, $2335; Lewis Montferrand, $510; Albert Nichols, $813; Pickering Knitting Co., $939; Matthew C. Pratt estate, $633; Orrin B. Ranlett, $751; Robert Simpson, $667; Ethan A. Smith, $1852; Jesse Smith heirs, $1212; Robert H. Staples, $661; Edwin C. Swift, $3976; Nellie L. Wheeler, $501; Charles W. Wilder, $1653; Alphonse Bibeault, $698; George F. Penniman, $1701; Sarah H. Richardson, $765; Michael Roark, $995; Mrs. Valentine Wilson, $1002; Haworth & Watson, $530; Albert E. Osgood, $698; George F. Parsons, $647; William Manning, $1111.

WARD NINE.

William H. Anderson, $1763; Harry Dunlap, $657; De Witt C. Farrington, $878; James K. Fellows, $2297; Mrs. Mary A. Felton, $761; Robert D. Holt, $774; Charles I. Hood, $2636; Esther J. Hylan, $516; Walter H. McDaniels, $6477; George Motley, $610; John Nesmith estate, $2614; Thomas Nesmith, $965; Fannie M. Reed, $599; Annie L. Richmond, $768; Jacob Robbins estate, $1036; Charles G. Saunders, $528; Horace B. Shattuck, $3020; Freeman B. Shedd, $1015; Maria T. Stevens' heirs, $11,013; Daniel Swan, $2125; Charles P. Talbot estate, $509; Julian Talbot, $681; Albert G. Thompson, $1266; Arthur P. Honney estate, $1594; Francis Brown, $824; Edward N. Burke $699, Benjamin F. Butler estate, $1161; Paul Butler, $598; Thomas Carolin estate, $937; Edward Cawley, $639; Horace B. Coburn et als., $522; Thomas Costello, $1072; Alexander G. Cummock, $723; John C. Irish, $514; Frank J. Ladd, $1282; Aaron Mansur heirs, $1763; George A. Marden, $631; James E. and Mary Nesmith, $565; James E. and Mary Nesmith et als., $815; John W. Rand, $550; Arthur G. Pollard, $1792; Addison Putnam, $637; Daniel S. Richardson estate, $582; George F. Richardson, $1427; George F. Richardson and A. G. Pollard, $1850; Miss Elizabeth Rogers, $500; Shepard, Russell & Fuller $840; E. A. Smith et als., $3716; Levi Sprague, $541; Charles Stott estate, $959; Albion C. Taylor, $561; White Bros., & Co., $1870; William H. White, $737; Patrick Farrell, $597; James Meadowcroft estate, $1641; United States Cartridge Co., $1240; United States Dunting Co., $800.

CORPORATIONS.

American Bobbin Spool & Shuttle Co., $637; American Bolt Co., $769; American Card Clothing Co., $1084; Appleton Co., $10,715; Appleton National Bank (real estate), $2610; Belvidere Woollen Manf. Co., $3179; Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., $1839; Boott Cotton mills, $24,722; Boston & Maine R. R. Co., $7180; Consumers' Brewing Co., ner mills, $2312; Fifield Tool Co., $1455; $1923; Courier-Citizen Co., $678; Faulkner Hamilton Manf. Co., $33,476; Howe Lumber Co., $581; J. C. Ayer Co., $727; Kitson Machine Co., $1816; Lamson Consolidated Store Service Co., $2652; Lawrence Manf. Co., $19,831; Locks & Canals, $9605; Lowell Bleachery Co., $5728; Lowell Electric Light corporation, $3696; Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, $981; Lowell Gas Light Co., $17,756; Lowell Hosiery Co., $1901; Lowell Land Co., $678; Lowell Machine shop, $16,312; Lowell Manf. Co., $28,312; Lowell & Suburban Street Railway Co., $6255; Massachusetts Cotton mills, $28,653; Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., $957; Mechanics' Savings Bank, $1061; Merchants' National Bank, $765; Merrimack Manufacturing Co., $48,708; Middlesex Co., $11,618; Middlesex Odd Fellows' Building Association, $1783; Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co., $774; Nashua & Lowell R. R. corporation, $1381; New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., $1782; Odd Fellows' hall, $557; Prescott National Bank, $622; Railroad National Bank, $835; Shaw Stocking Co., $3965; South Congregational Meeting House, $1710; Stirling Mills, $1892; Traders' National Bank, $879; Tremont & Suffolk Mills $35,238; Wamesit Power Co., $3627; Whittier Cotton Mills, $1371; Wamesit National Bank, $522.

NATIONAL BANKS.

Appleton, $3758; First, $6307; Merchants' $9117; Old Lowell, $4141; Prescott, $6881; Railroad, $7664; Traders' $1357; Wamesit, $5016; total, $44,274.

DIVIDE TOWN.

At a town meeting held in Tewksbury last evening it was unanimously voted to adopt and accept the precincts as laid out by the selectmen, the acts of 1893 which authorized the selectmen to lay out precincts, having been previously accepted.

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CURRENT COMMENT

Lawrence Sun—The terrible affair in which a large number of striking miners were ruthlessly slaughtered on Friday has horrified the entire nation, and one reads the sickening account of the unwarranted action of the sheriff and stands aghast at the horrible results. All information which has been received and even the official's own story, lead the people to judge that the shooting was no more or less than murder, which was precipitated by a man who had not the courage to perform his duty otherwise.

Boston Globe—Judged by mere numbers, the mayoralty election in New York, will be the most important to be held this year, for the proposed Greater New York will engage nearly one-thirtieth of the whole number of electors in the country, the city having a larger population than 41 of the 45 states of the Union.

But it will be essentially a local election. The attempt to wring the currency issue into it is little less than amusing. To say that the prosperity of the nation hinges upon it, and that the course of national politics will be largely shaped by it in the future is more than ridiculous.

Springfield Republican—One of the West Virginia judges has now carried government by injunction to the point of enjoining the pastor of the Methodist church at Fairmount from holding Sunday services and week-day prayer meetings in the strikers' camps which have fallen under the court's displeasure. There are plainly not wanting fool judges enough to do something toward destroying popular respect for the judiciary as an impartial and incorruptible tribunal.

Boston Advertiser—To be sure there is no law in Massachusetts which compels bicycle riders who ride at night to carry lighted lamps, but neither is there any law which forbids them to do so. Those bicyclists who think it would be better to carry lamps are quite at liberty to follow their judgment. They can thereby secure to themselves whatever additional safety is to be secured by that means. The true object of having a lighted lamp on a bicycle is not to enable the rider to see more clearly, but it is to enable him and his machine to be more clearly seen.

Haverhill Gazette—It is becoming more and more evident that all classes of people are desirous that an absolutely safe depository for small savings be established in this country at the earliest opportunity. Tens of thousands of thrifty men and women all over the United States, whose earning power is necessarily limited, have more than once experienced the bitter disappointment which follows the disappearance of little hoards garnered only by the practice of many acts of economy, by reason of the failure of building and loan associations, savings banks, and other institutions whose managers held out tempting inducements to possible depositors. It is common fame that the suffering and despair caused by such failures have been felt in nearly every community in the land. Hopelessness and doubt have been sown broadcast by calamities such as are here described and the resulting habit of improvidence, which is rapidly becoming almost a second nature with many, cannot be checked any too quickly for the good of the entire country.

Brockton Times—President McKinley is taking a round-about way to get to Washington. But, then, he could not help going to Ohio to see the folks and incidentally saying a good word for his particular friend, Mark Hanna.

Boston Herald—The rattan in the hands of a school teacher generally leads to trouble all around, but there are occasions when it is too good for the emergency. It looks as if this was the case in Somerville.

Springfield Union—Governor Hastings seems to have broken loose from Senator Quay again. That, at least, is the only interpretation at present possible of Governor Hastings' action in appointing David Martin, the leader of the republican machine in Philadelphia to the secretaryship of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania. It will be interesting now to watch the progress of the anti-Quay fight in Pennsylvania. Judging by the recent revelations in regard to the padding of the employes' roll of the Keystone legislature and the plot to get the treasurer of the state to pay the unlawful employes, there is every justification for the overthrow of the Quay machine at the approaching state convention. Whether such a desirable result can be secured is very uncertain.

CYCLING NEWS.

A party of five Leominster racing young men entered the race at Lowell on Saturday last and they report that they were astonished at the accommodations furnished them by the local club. In the first place the track was in bad condition and three of the Leominster riders were thrown on that account, but worst of all were the training quarters. All of them were quartered under the grand stand with a loose ground for a floor and no windows for light or ventilation and no seats to rest on after the races. Metcalf made an attack on a partition and secured a board full of nails. McCormiskey found a prize in one corner of an iron sink and turned upside down it made the best seat any of the party had. Another of the party was seen trying to keep his balance on a six-inch timber. The rest of them stood up after the race or sat on the ground. Two coils of barb wire were available but it proved not just the thing for a man to sit on after finishing a race. For all this deplorable account the man who furnished the above account showed us a $35 gold watch he won as the first prize in one of the races.—Leominster Enterprise.

The young men in question came here at the request of H. E. Heselton.

If anybody has any doubt of the great growth of bicycling all he need do is look into the baggage car of a train returning from the shore and mountain resorts. Bicycling is so common now that nearly everybody who goes on a vacation takes a bicycle along, too, and that furnishes another good argument for good roads for those places which receive summer visitors.

At the Presbyterian parsonage, September 11, Mr. Ewen McKenzie and Miss Jessie Duncan were united in marriage by the Rev. Robert Court, D. D.

SIMPLE DROWNING

Medical Examiner Signs the Death Certificate.

IN THE CASE OF KATIE McHUGH.

Cause of Death is Still a Mystery.

The death of Katie McHugh, who was found floating in the Hamilton canal Sunday morning continues to be a mystery, which, though the police have made inquiries, not only remains unsolved, but it is even more intangible.

Medical Examiner Irish has now put an end to all suicide theories by signing the death certificate and attributing the cause of death to drowning, and stating that there was nothing to indicate foul play or accidental drowning, while there was nothing to warrant one in assigning suicide as the cause.

What makes the case stranger, Mr. Smith, the father of the girl whom the McHugh girl was supposed to have been staying with, denies that his daughter was in company with Miss McHugh on either Friday or Saturday evenings. He says his daughter was at home on those evenings and that she was not an intimate of Miss McHugh.

The last seen of the unfortunate girl was at 10 o'clock Friday night and her actions between that time and whenever she met her death are what the public would like to know. The canal in which she was found was well fenced, and in order to fall, she must have been either on the railroad bridge at Thorndike street or at School street or Western avenue, though, all of these places would naturally be avoided by a girl, particularly at night.

She had a pleasant home at South Highland street, and loving parents, brothers and sisters. Of late she is said to have shown a tendency to despondency, but her father and family are positive that she did not commit suicide.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 11th.

William H. Emery et al. to John M. Dunfey, lot of land on New Moody street, $1.

Patrick H. Crowley, to Alfred McKarcher, lot of land on Crawford street $1.

Shepard, Russell & Fuller to Frank J. Ladd, lot of land on the Butman road, $1.

Deliah F. Turner to Alexis Ouilette et ux., lot of land on Maple avenue, $1

William Murphy to Mary A. Flanagan, land with buildings on Cosgrove street, $1600.

Laura J. Hodgman to Mary E. Fletcher, land with buildings on Fletcher street, $1.

John W. Anderson et al, to Frank E. McNabb, land with buildings on Butterfield street, $1.

James McKinley to William A. Parthenais, lot of land on Varnum avenue, $1.

Mary J. Swan to Frederick T. Walsh, lot of land on Eleventh street, $1.

Fred A. Sturtevant to Emmet E. Galer, lot of land on Gibson street, $1.

William H. Bent to W. A. Parthenais lot of land in Tyler Park, $1.

James McKinley to Joseph C. Manseau, lot of land on Ovington street, $1.

James McKinley to Charles H. Parthenais, lot of land on Varnum avenue, $1.

James McKinley to David A. Parthenais, lot of land on Anson street, $1.

Elizabeth Emerson to Lilla E. Brown, lot of land on Blossom street, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

William H. Dyke to Stephen Flynn, lot of land, $1.

WESTFORD.

Olive A. Prescott to Elizabeth Splain, lot of land at Forge Village, $1.

DRACUT.

Arthur Lyman, trustee, to L. E. Roberts, lot of land at Kenwood, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Charles Sweetser to Charles O. A. Grover, land at South Chelmsford, $1.

Robert G. Bartlett to Winnie H. Roark, lot of land on Blackmer street, $1.

Henry S. Parham to Alice S. Long, lot of land on Evergreen street, $1.

BOWLING NEWS

It was a great total of 2593 that the Lakeviews put up last night, easily defeating the Wamesits in a finely rolled game. The score:

LAKEVIEWS.

Higgins	522
Fels	478
Gregory	520
Swift	511
Lewis	497
Totals	2528

WAMESITS

Peters	479
McCormick	436
Dunham	442
Brainard	464
Hartwell	482
Totals	2303

The Pawtuckets defeated the Merrimacks on another alley, Clogston being high with 507. The score

MERRIMACKS.

Howes	444
Burns	451
Brosnan	443
Shaw	437
Chicken	479
Totals	2253

PAWTUCKETS.

Weston	470
Patten	427
Knapp	451
Clogston	507
Fletcher	459
Totals	2314

Miss Bessie Campbell, formerly a pupil of the Lowell high school, has entered the senior class of the high school at Waterville, Me.

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NOTED CONVERTS

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE RECENTLY CONVERTED TO CATHOLICITY.

New York, Sept. 13.—A quarterly record kept by the Paulist Fathers shows an extraordinary number of conversion of prominent persons to the Roman Catholic faith in the course of the last three months. In the list are noted the following:

A daughter of Joaquin Miller, the "poet of the Sierras," who was baptized into the Catholic communion in Guelph, Ontario, where she had been a student in a convent; the late Rev. John Trever Still, vicar of the Anglican church in Kenn, Essex, Eng., who was baptized on his death bed by a Franciscan friar in July last; Miss Edith Howard-Hodges of London, a member of the Church of England, who was received into the Catholic church by the Rev. Father Galwey, S. J.; Canon Gregson, a clergyman of the Church of England, at Brisbane, New Zealand; Mrs. Thomas Atkinson; of Ryton, England; received by Canon Wrennal; the Rev. St. Leger Westall, curate of St. Saviour's church who was received into the Catholic church together with his wife and children, by the Rev. Father Bampton, S. J., and whose renunciation of the faith of his fathers created a sensation in all England; Mrs. Gwilt Jolly, wife of a well-known English artist; Lady Loder, mother of Gerald Loder, senior member of Parliament for Brighton, Eng.; the Rev. John N. L. Clarke, curate of St. John's church, Cape Colony, South Africa, and Mrs. Sarah Margaret Le Verrier at Swindon, England.

CELEBRATED CASE

ARGUED AT GLEN FOREST YESTERDAY—MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

The bar of Lowell went against that of Lawrence and they were strangers and were taken in. Of course it is the legal profession that is referred to, and not the bar upon which so many schooners are daily and nightly stranded.

It was at base ball that the Websters and the Choates of the Valley had at it and they played several innings in the rain at Glen Forest, the Lawrence people capturing the laurel by a score of 16 to 10. The Lowell team consisted of Dan Donohoe, p; Charles Cosgrove, c; Mayor Courtney, r; W. A. Hogan, 1; Dennis Murphy, m; James F. Owens, 3b; W. F. Curtin, ss; Frank C. Wright, 2b; C. L. Marren, 1b; George S. Stevens, mascot, and about 20 rooters. Saunders and Burr were the battery and they were too strong for the Lowell boys. After the game, the defeated lawyers filed a bill of exceptions and a motion for a new trial and the case will be argued at a Lowell term of the court. Then all repaired to the Essex House, where a spread was served, and after-dinner remarks went around. Most of the party returned to Lowell at 8.30.

The Elias H. Hadley estate, numbered 65 Wilder street between Pawtucket street and Broadway, to be cut up into building lots and sold without limit to the highest bidders. Six elegant lots. Fine location. One of the best residential sections. Commencing promptly at 4.30 tomorrow afternoon, rain or shine I shall sell without limit or reserve to the parties making the highest bids, one of the pleasantest situated estates upon which to establish respectable and comfortable homes of medium value there is in Lowell. The property lying as it does, between Wilder and Rolfe streets, the Phineas Stanley estate on one side, the Daniel Crowley estate on the other side, land of A. A. Coburn back of it, the magnificent estate of Colonel Allen within 250 feet, Broadway electric cars within two minutes' walk; Pawtucket street electric cars within four minutes' walk. The land is high, level, and dry; the lots splendid size and excellent shape; the street has all modern advantages and conveniences. What more can be desired by families in moderate circumstances. The premises are divided and will be sold as follows: Lot 1—House of nine rooms; stable with plenty of room for three horses and as many carriages; lot of 6000 square feet of land, with a frontage of 60 feet; the stable will have to be moved some. The lot has plenty of fruit trees and vines and is a corner lot, being at the corner of Wilder street and a new street running from Wilder street back through the premises. Lot 2—Six thousand square feet of land (another corner lot) with a frontage of 60 feet on Wilder street and 100 feet on the new street; Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6—Each has a frontage of 50 feet and an area of 3000 square feet; are on the new street running in from Wilder street or within 100 feet of the same. There are many opportunities, lots of chances, and too many temptations to buy undesirable land; but here's a genuine offer of very attractive healthy located, and unusual building lots for improvement or speculation; it will be very hard to find honest exception to all of them and best of all you're going to buy them for just what you see fit to give. The new State Normal school on Broadway is within five minutes' walk and as it will bring some two or three hundred grown people to Lowell, they've got to have homes or a place to board and this is a chance for someone to create them at a snug profit or a gilt edge investment. Plans of lots at the office of the auctioneers, where you should make all inquires. J. E. Conant & Co., Auctioneers.

—Albert P. Green.

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Gus Hill's greatest of all vaudeville shows gave a performance at Music Hall last night and it is really the very best and cleanest of the kind on the road today. The show opens with the Holbrooks, a musical team performing on several instruments in a very talented manner. The acrobatic team is the very best that ever visited our city and is worth the price of admission alone. Harry Thompson is one of the funniest men living and is a worthy successor to the late J. W. Kelley. Sheridan and Forest in their humorous skit were away up in their business. Sato, the juggler, seemed to have no limit to his skill at his line of business. Charming Jennie Yeamans is always a star of the brightest lustre and gave one of her cleverest impersonations that convulsed the audience with laughter. The mental marvel, Master Lavender Richardson answered correctly all kinds of questions in history and astonished everybody with his brain work. There was a number of other specialties and the show is all right. Every one in it is a star. The show continues tonight, tomorrow afternoon and evening.

FUNERALS.

GARRA—The funeral of Bernard Garra took place this morning and was very largely attended. At the Immaculate Conception church, service was held at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr Lawrence, O.M.I., was the celebrant of the requiem high mass and the choir under the direction of Prof. Haggerty sang Schmidt's requiem mass, together with several touching solos appropriate to the occasion.

At the conclusion of the service, the cortege proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The pall bearers were Messrs. Thomas Maxwell, John O'Connor, Malachi Burns, William King, Thomas Brennan and Mr. Kane. Many beautiful floral offerings were placed on the grave. They included a spray of palms, a wreath of ivy and roses, a wreath of asters, a sheaf of wheat, a wreath of cut flowers, a spray of purple asters, and a basket of flowers. The cortege that followed the remains to the grave included over thirty hacks, which indicated the esteem in which the deceased was held by his numerous friends. Rev. Fr. Lawrence officiated at the grave. The bereaved family have the deep sympathy of a wide circle of friends. Undertaker Davey had charge of the funeral.

THE PELHAM SINGERS.

The fourteenth semi-annual Pelham sing will take place at the new meeting house in Dracut Centre on Wednesday, September 29, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 in the afternoon. Dinner will be served by the Y.P.S.C.E. Prof. Greeley of Pelham Sing fame requests the singers to bring their music, the same as last year.

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For further particulars, apply at the Academy or by letter to the Sisters.

DEATHS.

NUTE—Mrs. Abbie H. Nute, wife of Sewell H. Nute, formerly connected with the Lowell horse railroad, died Monday forenoon at Pelham, aged 68 years. She leaves, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Frank E. Wright. Mrs. Nute was an old resident of Lowell.

DUTTON—George E. Dutton, the real estate agent, auctioneer and constable, died at his home, 149 Fairmount street, Monday, aged 22 years. He had been ill for four weeks.

WIGGINVILLE.

Mr. Editor—Citizens of Wigginville met in the school Saturday night to take steps to have the Damside school closed. It was voted to send a committee of three to see the selectmen, and have the church or some other building more suitable until a new schoolhouse is built. Mr. Foster from the North also spoke on the right of the people of Wigginville in having their school located in the most convenient place and said the citizens of the North and the Centre were with them and would come to their support when needed. He also said that when the new high school was built in the Centre that there were several sites offered free; but the committee purchased a lot in the Centre at a fair price and had it accepted by the town. Mr. Farmer was also invited, but did not attend.

I would like to say through the columns of your valuable paper that the rumor afloat that I "would give fifty dollars to have the schoolhouse located in Wigginville, or that I have given any money whatever to help the Wigginville cause," is false.

—Miles M. Laffee.
South Lowell.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

The quarterly statement of the Royal Arcanum just issued by Supreme Secretary Robson, shows a membership of 194,175 in 1762 councils August 31. During June 1030 new members were admitted, in July 783, and in August 629. In August there were 119 deaths, 531 suspensions, permanent withdrawals and expulsions, and 33 reinstatements. The net gain in membership since January 1st has been 3914.

The total payments in the W. O. B. fund to Aug. 31st were $12,037,000.13.

A WONDERFUL SCENE.

Talk about getting into the push; well, the greatest push that ever was witnessed was at T. D. Hartford's store, where are found the greatest bargains in clothing ever offered in this city. We do not know how long these bargains will last, so the wise will call at once and share in the spoils. See ad. in this paper.

Thursday, Friday, and Saturday the Rose Hill English Folly company will hold the boards at Music Hall. This is the greatest and strongest burlesque contains more new and novel features than any other two shows put together. They will present the most laughable burlesque entitled "Gay Grass Widows," introducing a bevy of handsome and beautiful ladies in new and sensational novelties.

Hard on the Conductors.

It seems that the street car conductors of Geneva, N. Y., are lowered with the fatal gift of beauty, and hence has arisen trouble for them. So many of them have been in the habit of talking to women on their cars that the company has issued an order against the practice. Concerning this order one of them says, "It is pretty hard for a fellow to look sour and surly at a pretty girl and to refuse to reply to her when she looks at you with a merry twinkle in her eye and politely asks a question."

At Kew gardens the rule prescribing that no visitor shall take in a hand bag or parcel larger than 7 by 5 by 4 inches turns out to be illegal.

The Kansas City Chinaman who started a bakery just as wheat reached $1 a bushel verifies the adage that John should stick to his tub.

Probably Paul Revere would have been staggered had he anticipated that Boston would one day pay $240,000 for a site for a schoolhouse to be named in his honor.

The temperance idea is making great and unexpected progress in Holland.

The dean of Canterbury has given a playmaker permission to dramatize his "Darkness and Dawn," in which Nero is the principal figure.

The London correspondent of the East Anglican Times is responsible for the statement that the archbishop of Canterbury is learning to ride a wheel.

CASTORIA.
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A Great Manufacturers' Out-Put Sale
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TRAMPS OF THE SEA.

STRUGGLE OF CARGO BOATS FOR AMERICAN GRAIN.

From All Parts of the World Tramp Steamers Head For United States Ports. Lively Competition For the Carrying Trade—Most of the Boats Are British.

Ocean tramps, as the craft that sail from port to port picking up cargoes wherever they can are called, are hurrying to America now to help carry grain from this country to Europe. Some of the ships are Italian, others of them are German, more of them Norwegian, but the greatest number, wherever they are bound, fly the flag of England. British tramps carry the greater part of her commerce and have made England the mistress of the seas.

It has been said that where you find the largest number of these tramps you will find the greatest prosperity, for the British shipowner, or "managing owner," can catch scent of a profitable cargo more quickly than a beagle can pick up a rabbit's trail, and it is because of this that orders have gone out from the dingy counting rooms of London, Liverpool, Glasgow and Newcastle-on-Tyne to all parts of the world telling the skippers to drop all else and get to the American seaboard as soon as possible. Here ships are wanted badly to take grain to Europe. In consequence there has been for the past month and will continue to be an almost unprecedented movement toward this country of tramps, the "little cargo boats" of which Kipling sings so much. It is calculated that at present there are 25 per cent more tramps in American ports than there usually are at this season, and with the rush that has begun overseas this percentage will be increased largely before another month has passed. Only a small number of these steamers are coming to New York for cargoes. The majority of them are bound for Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk and New Orleans, but wherever they go it is the grain they are after. Some of them have charters before they leave their sailing port, more of them will find charters waiting for them when they arrive, and many are coming on a "spec," trusting to find a cargo when they get here. As about 6,000,000 bushels of grain of all kinds are being exported from the seaboard each week, there is a good show for all of them.

The tramp type of the ocean steamer, which is rapidly driving the sailing ships from the seas, is in a sense a peculiarly British institution. Although other nations have adopted the type and furnish at times a sharp rivalry for the Englishmen, the vast majority of cargo boats fly the British flag. They are particularly dear to the British heart, for not only do they carry all but a small part of the ocean commerce of the world, but they are owned largely by the great middle class of England, by widows and orphans. There is scarcely a village in England where there is not some family whose income comes from a tramp steamer. There are some large corporations that own fleets of steamers, but most of these are made up of persons not wealthy, who invest their savings in the £1 shares and feel rich when they realize 8 per cent on their money.

But a larger part of the steamers have a "managing owner" and a number of other part owners who have shares in them. Sometimes a sharp shipping agent decides to build a steamer. He puts some money into it, he gets a number of others to put their money into it, and he takes the job of managing owner, whereby he receives not only his share of the profits of the vessel, but gets a commission on all the charters he procures. This makes a very good job for him, and the English stockholder, content with small interest, is happy if his ship receives but a little money.

Most of the tramp ships are built on the east coast of England. Newcastle is a great seat of this industry. The ships are not built for show or beauty. What the shipowner wants is the cheapest possible steamer with the largest carrying capacity for her dimensions. He wants a ship that will burn not more than 15 or 20 tons of coal a day and can jog along from one end of the world to the other at nine or ten knots an hour. The type of tramp steamer has been improved very much in the last few years. Formerly a 1,500 tonner was a very big tramp, and the average size was nearer 1,000 tons than 1,200, but the newer steamers are much larger, and a 4,000 ton tramp is not uncommon, while one of 2,500 is to be met with in any port.

It is not likely that the enormous movement of grain from this country to Europe will result in any very material rise of freights. Freights bid fair to remain firm, and shipping men say the great number of ships that are hurrying hither to get a share of the grain will tend to prevent any increase. Moreover, in the carrying of grain a formidable rival to the tramps has arisen within the last few years. This is the great cargo passenger ship of the regular companies, of which the huge Pennsylvania of the Hamburg-American line is a striking example. Each of these ships, with their enormous carrying capacity, can do the work of two or three ordinary boats. The greater part of the grain taken from this port will go over in them. In addition to these the big new tramp steamers already referred to, with their large carrying capacity, help to keep down the freights even at a time when there is a strong demand for ships.

A large part of the tramps now headed for this country, many of which have never been here before, are coming from the Black sea and South American grain trade. In Russia and Argentina advices have been received that the exports of wheat from those countries will be below the normal, and the prospects of tremendously increased exports from this country have made the owners and agents send their ships here. Many of them are coming in ballast. The great rush a few weeks ago to get in stuff before the new tariff law went into effect has resulted in a decided falling off for the present of the incoming carrying trade.

Most of the ships that have not been assured of charters before they left their sailing port make for the Delaware breakwater or Hampton Roads to wait for orders. From those places they are sent to Galveston, New Orleans, Norfolk or wherever else cargoes are waiting for them.

A glance at The Maritime Register shows that many tramps are on their way to America from all parts of the world, and a great majority of them will carry grain away. The last few years have not been particularly prosperous ones for the British shipowners, but now things are getting better, and they are going to have a chance to share in the prosperity of this country.—New York Sun.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
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THE JOAN OF ARC

Of the Miners' Strike Arrested Today

WITH OTHER WOMEN INTERFERING WITH MEN

Going to Work at Plum Creek Mines.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 13.—Emma Haas, the miners' Joan of Arc, and three other women were arrested for marching at Plum Creek this morning, by sheriff's deputies. The arrest precipitated a small riot and scarcely a deputy escaped clubbing.

It seems the women had planned to prevent men from going to work by marching in front of them, carrying their babies in their arms. The men objected and the women crowded around each man, seized his dinner pail, and threw it into the ditch. The deputies armed with clubs, came in great force and arrested three of the women and the affray caused intense excitement.

The deputies seemed anxious to get an opportunity to base a charge for rough treatment and show forbearance under it, as they are now at a loss to show justification for the shooting under direction of Sheriff Martin. It took four deputies to hold each of the women arrested.

A NEW GOLD FIND

At Sulphur Creek, the Richest Yet.

CALIFORNIA CROPS NEGLECTED FOR WANT OF HELP.

Steamer Portland Starts Armed for Pirates.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 13.—Sulpher Creek, a branch of Dominion Creek, is the scene of the latest gold excitement in Klondike. Gold was found just below the surface which yields $31 to the pan.

CROPS ARE NEGLECTED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 13.—So many men have gone to Klondike that the problem of getting help enough to harvest this year's crop has become a serious one to fruit growers. Industries of every kind are in need of workmen.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 13.—The treasure ship Portland started from St. Michaels' yesterday noon with a big cargo, consisting principally of machinery for four steamers. On her forward deck was a Maxim rapid firing gun to keep off pirates who may attempt to get the treasure she will bring back.

AGAIN AT SCHOOL

Teachers and Pupils Meet Once More.

THE SCHOOLS CROWDED BY PUPILS.

What Supt. Whitcomb Says of Opening.

It is school time once more.

This morning thousands of happy children arose early, dressed in their best and reported when the school bells summoned them to their duty. It is impossible to tell just what is the attendance at the schools, for no report has yet been made to Supt. Whitcomb.

Speaking of the opening, Supt. Whitcomb said:

"There have been ten rooms opened in the new Bartlett schoolhouse for grammar pupils. In addition there will be a kindergarten transferred to that building from temporary quarters. There will be a few pupils transferred to the new Bartlett from the Pawtucketville and Highland grammar schoolhouses. If the rooms in the Cross street primary schoolhouse become crowded, we may transfer some pupils from there to the new Bartlett.

DROWNED IN BOSTON HARBOR.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Sept. 13.—Carl Karlson, aged 55 years, of 72 Sawyer street, South End, was drowned off Peddock's Island while on a fishing trip yesterday.

MUSIC HALL

JENNIE YEAMANS AND GUS HILL'S WORLD OF NOVELTIES.

Miss Jennie Yeamans, always original monopolizes the star's headline with Gus Hill's World of Novelties this season. Miss Yeaans has an amusing personality, a lively and subtle sense of humor, and bubbles over with talent. She laughs good-naturedly at the world when not in scornful moods. The impersonation given by Miss Yeamans of the familiar serio-comic, who has spent a week in England, presumably in a music hall and comes back with a four-ply cockney dialect is admirable. Miss Yeamans is telling a number of funny stories this season in her own inimitable manner and her appearance with Gus Hill's World of Novelties at Music Hall tonight will be the means of attracting a large crowd to this cosy theatre.

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Some women, during the summer months, prefer not to boil the clothes. This can be avoided, and the most satisfactory results obtained, by using
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HE DROPPED DEAD

Lowell Man Dies in Lawrence.

HAD BEEN VISITING FOR FEW DAYS.

His Name is Kane, an Elderly Man.

The Lawrence American informs the Sun that a Lowell man named Kane dropped dead in that city at the home of William Heffernan, 16 Water street, this afternoon. Nothing is known about Kane, except that he went to Lawrence from Lowell three days ago and was visiting at Heffernan's house. This afternoon he started to leave the house and fell dead in the entryway. Does anyone know him?

FUNERAL MARCH

To the Graves of the Murdered Miners.

TROOPS AWAITING AN OUTBREAK BY MOB.

Great Preparations for the Burials.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 13.—This ominous date stood out on the calendar with conspicuous meaning this morning. All indications of last night pointed to danger and troops were assigned so as to cover every territory where there was a prospect of action. The first official action of the day was to close all liquor saloons for fear that might cause trouble during the funerals of the victims of the recent tragedy. All along the line of the funerals were thousands of spectators from all over the district. Up to noon no trouble developed. The branches of the main cortege arrived at intervals from suburbs, headed by bands and crowds visited the undertaker's shop to view the corpses. The funeral parade cannot get underway until late in the afternoon.

PRIESTS WILL ABSTAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Rome, Sept. 19.—The officials of the Vatican have strictly enjoined the Spanish priesthood to abstain from all participation in the Carlist agitation.

YELLOW FEVER SPREADING.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Manageau, Nicaragua, Sept. 31.—Yellow fever has appeared at Leon in western Nicaragua. Several natives have died and the fever is spreading.

MAJOR MERRILL'S RESIGNATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Sept. 13.—Governor Wolcott has accepted the resignation of Major George S. Merrill as insurance commissioner. The governor signed a letter of acceptance this morning to take effect at the end of the present month.

STRANGE SUICIDE

HELD HER HEAD IN HALF A BARREL OF WATER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

South Berwick, Me., Sept. 13.—Mrs. Sally Kennaston, aged 74 years, committed suicide this morning in half a barrel of water. She knelt on the ground and held her head and shoulders under water. Despondency was the alleged cause.

FOR THE MINERS

Social Democracy of Chicago Adopts Resolutions.

A MILLIONIARE FOR EVERY MINER KILLED.

Sheriff Martin's Cause is Condemned.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—Meetings of several of the branches of the Social democracy were held last night to discuss the Hazleton tragedy. Resolutions were passed declaring that for every miner killed a millionaire should be treated in the same manner. The torch is the most successful weapon to use against them. Leroy Goodwin, Debs' right hand man, said he would attack their property with a torch and destroy their fine palaces. "Let us rebel," said he, "when men are shot down as they were in Pennsylvania."

FINANCIAL SUPPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 13.—A mass meeting of about four thousand miners of different nationalities was held on the grounds of the Lithuanian church yesterday morning. Resolutions were adopted condemning the course of Sheriff Martin and pledging financial support in prosecuting Martin and his deputies.

THE MINERS

TO ACCEPT THE OFFER OF THE OPERATORS.

Columbus, O., Sept. 13.—The executive committee of United Mine Workers issued today a circular appeal to miners to accept the terms offered by the operators on the basis of Saturday's resolutions.

Miss Lillian Wholley has returned after a pleasant vacation spent at Old Orchard beach.

The weather prevented the successful flying of homing pigeons on Saturday.

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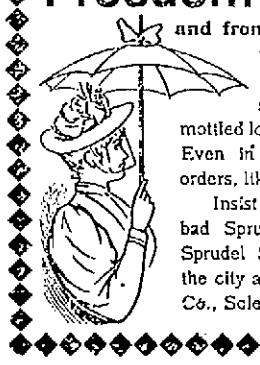
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SLAUGHTER OF THE MINERS IN THE NAME OF THE LAW.

The shooting down of from thirty to sixty of the coal strikers at Hazelton, Pa., on Friday, was one of the worst outrages ever committed by legal authority in this country. It was simply a massacre of men who had committed no violation of the law; it was a cold-blooded murder for which Sheriff Martin and his 100 deputies should be held strictly to account. It is the natural outcome of the iniquitous inauguration of government by injunction, which was so needlessly and outrageously used to restrain the miners at every point.

There was an injunction restraining the strikers from approaching any of the mines on the public highways; an injunction restraining them from holding public meetings in the vicinity of the mines and an injunction restraining them from speaking to the miners who remained at work. With so many restrictions upon the personal liberty of the strikers, it was wonderful that they maintained such order and such obedience to the law. So orderly was their course from the beginning of the strike that one of the judges who granted some of the injunctions, made the statement that this strike would go down in history as the most orderly that ever occurred. There were good grounds for this compliment to the conduct of the strikers, or it would never have been uttered. But the operators of the mines seemed in this case not to be satisfied with imposing ordinary restrictions upon the strikers; they wished them to be bound by every possible measure and injunction, which the judicial tyrants are empowered to issue. Then when the strikers were goaded almost to frenzy by these unwarranted restraints upon their personal liberty, the operators appealed to the authorities to guard against any infringement of the judicial edicts issued by the courts and made every preparation to resist with deadly force the slightest attempt at violence either to person or property.

Is it any wonder that Sheriff Martin with his 100 deputies gathered from the streets without any particular regard to their character or qualification, should embrace the first opportunity of making an onslaught upon the inoffensive and defenceless miners.

He had heard through rumor that a considerable number of strikers were to march across a hill to Latimer for the purpose of influencing the miners there to join the strike. That rumor might have been true, or it might have been false. Had the miners been permitted to carry out their project, it is quite probable that the worst they would have done would be to hold some kind of a demonstration in the vicinity. They were not armed, they were not prepared to offer violence much less to resist attack. Had Sheriff Martin performed his duty as a sheriff might be expected to do, he would have followed the strikers or have surrounded the Latimer mines in order that no harm could be done by the approaching strikers. He would have at least awaited the first overt act in violation of law before opening fire upon the miners, but this he did not do. He intercepted the men upon the public highway without knowing what their intentions were and before any act of violence had been committed. He peremptorily ordered a halt, read the riot act and commanded the crowd to return. It seems that he grappled with one of the leaders and that the other strikers gathered around, probably to see what the trouble was. Sheriff Martin became excited, called upon his deputies for assistance and a moment later gave the order to fire. Then three deadly volleys felled from thirty to sixty men to the ground, most of whom are now dead, while others are sure to die from the effects of their wounds. Could any attack be more unwarranted, more cold-blooded or unprovoked than this deadly onslaught upon the miners? It is stated that the sheriff and his deputies will be proceeded against on the charge of murder, but the men who were so ready to massacre defenceless miners will have no hesitation in swearing that they were in danger of being killed and had to fire in self-defence.

The sheriff and his deputies may be exonerated, but this outrage will not be forgotten and it has already roused the toiling masses throughout the country, because they know not when such an outrage may be repeated in case of a strike. Let the miners now stand firm; the toilers throughout the country will come to their aid and furnish money to support them as long as the operators see fit to hold out. This strike should and must be won; this outrage must be made the last application of government by injunction. Perhaps these inoffensive miners will not have died in vain if their death shall bring about a proper limitation of judicial tyranny, an end of government by injunction, and a proper restriction of the use of firearms in the hands of dissolute cowards and scamps pressed into service as sheriff's deputies.

THE ARENA OF POLITICS

THE DINGLEY DEFICIT.

Receipts More Than $13,000,000 Behind Expenditures in a Single Month.

The receipts of the United States treasury on Aug. 21 were $623,086 and the expenditures $797,000, making a deficit for the day of $173,104, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. The deficit for the month is $13,298,755, and for the fiscal year to date $24,372,300. How is this, under the operation of a tariff law that has been extensively exploited and bragged about as a measure to restore prosperity to the country by securing enough revenue to pay the expense of the government? In the first month under the new bill the treasury runs behind over $13,000,000.

What a puny and contemptible performance has been that of the present administration and congress so far! There was a persistent attempt to humbug the people with the claim that the hard times were due to the fact that the public revenues were less than the expenditures. There was much lofty ringing of the changes on the proposition that everything would be wrong till the government was run on "business principles," till it was run on the business idea of making both ends meet. So Mr. McKinley called congress together to "even up" things. No attempt was made to do this by cutting down extravagant expenditures. The appropriations were kept at the top notch, though the people by the stress of the times were obliged to curtail in everything but their taxes.

The whole scheme was a humbug, though the pitiful politicians who are now in charge of the public establishment, and who probably think they are statesmen, may look upon their work profoundly. The government is not a business establishment. There is comparatively little resemblance between the public and private business affairs. The government has no income, properly speaking. It earns no money. It is merely supported by the people, and it is the duty of the people's agents to make the burden of that support as light as possible. If the treasury runs behind in any given year, the people are good for the deficit. There is no panic, no distrust. The shortage is sure to be made good.

However, on the theory that the government is "in business" and that it must be considered in the light of a private citizen engaged in trade, what a stupendous failure has been the administration effort! Thirteen millions of dollars behind in a single month! We trust for the sake of the peace of mind of President McKinley that he does not read the newspapers during his gay summer outing and that the military band will play Wagnerian music when anybody attempts to tell him about the distressed condition of the treasury. Indeed this new law resembles the old McKinley law. It was under that delectable measure that the receipts of the treasury began to run behind the expenses.

A REPUBLICAN ON TRUSTS.

He Views With Alarm the Growing Influence of Combinations of Capital.

All readers of The News are aware that we seldom find cause to approve of the public acts and utterances of Republican leaders, while we are accustomed to use the utmost forbearance toward Democrats whose conduct may not strictly accord with the just and upright principles of their party in some particular, says the New York News in a recent editorial. In other words, charity toward friends and frank hostility toward opponents is the rule. Probably The News has never said a good word for Hon. Benjamin H. Butterworth, now commissioner of patents, throughout all his public career, and probably, too, it never spoke otherwise than kindly of Hon. Roswell P. Flower, until his diatribe against our principles and party lately filled us as well as all the world with disapproval. But men, after all, are of secondary import, while principles are vital, and the answer Butterworth makes to Flower at least deserves quotation in our Democratic columns, since it comes nearer to our idea of popular rights and principles than does the speech of the man whom we helped to make the governor of this state.

Mr. Butterworth, according to one of our contemporaries, said, after reading Governor Flower's remarks:

I do not need any one's opinion on the benefit of trusts. Any one who has spent a season in Washington, as I have done this past year and for many seasons before, cannot but look with horror upon the growing influence of these mighty combinations and aggregations of capital.

Everybody knows how congress was simply held up by the trusts during the last session. It came to be that the representatives of these great combinations merely said, "You shall do this, and you shall not do that," and it was done or not done, as they commanded.

The claim made nowadays is that there should be war because war will necessitate the issuing of bonds, and there have been some recent instances when this sentiment very nearly predominated. I am opposed and bitterly opposed to all this sort of talk. Shall we create war to make a market for bonds? Shall we sacrifice human life that some one may cut coupons payable in the blood of our children and our children's children?

What shall be said, too, when it comes to pass that one man in your city of New York can fix the price of anthracite coal for the Atlantic seaboard? I do not know whether I am differently constituted from other men or not, but my blood boils when I contemplate the growing power of corporate wealth over the legislation of this country.

Work of the Coal Trust.

There is every reason to credit the report that the great coal strike was deliberately caused by the operators. They knew the price of coal would be raised by the Dingley tariff, so they required some effective means of reducing the surplus coal in the market and canceling contracts for delivery at old prices. There is nothing too infamous for the Hanna-Hobart-Morgan Coal trust.

Republican Prosperity.

Low wages for the working people and bigger profits for the trusts—that is what the Republicans mean by prosperity.

AT NEW ORLEANS

The Soldiers Will be Allowed to Leave.

GOING TO MILITARY PARK TEMPORARILY.

Reports of the Yellow Fever Cases.

Washington, Sept. 14.—A telegram was received at the war department yesterday from the department of the East stating that six cases of yellow fever were reported in New Orleans, and that the commanding officer at Jackson barracks had requested permission to remove the garrison of that post to Fort McPherson, Atlanta. The department officials deemed it inexpedient to send these troops to Fort McPherson, and orders were issued that the two batteries of artillery go into camp at the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national military park. There has been no case of fever at Jackson barracks, but it was considered advisable to remove the troops to a point where they would be beyond the danger of infection.

Later in the day the official dispatches to the surgeon general made the situation more serious. Dr. Guiteras, the government expert, reported a case of yellow fever at the city hospital at Mobile, Ala., also a suspected case, and added that he apprehended a serious outbreak. At the same time Surgeon Carter telegraphed from Ocean Springs that four cases of yellow fever existed at Berkley; that there had been eight cases known to be yellow fever, and that two exposed physicians were at Vancleave and Scranton, practically under guard.

PARTISANS OF DR. ANDREWS.

Providence, Sept. 14.—President Andrews has returned, but has nothing to say in regard to his own plans or those of the Cosmopolitan university. It is generally understood that the president will lead the chapel service at Brown on Wednesday, when college opens, and plans are on foot, on the part of the students, to give him a reception upon this occasion. The collegians are hot partisans of Dr. Andrews, and in their discussions are to be heard mutterings concerning the congressman from Worcester. If a manifestation of this feeling does not take place, it will be because the advice of cooler heads prevails.

THE SEA TRAGEDY

On the Olive Pecker Again Discussed.

FRESH EVIDENCE AGAINST THE PRISONERS HELD.

The Trial to be Held in Boston.

Boston, Sept. 14.—The first official tidings of the awful tragedy at sea on the schooner Olive Pecker, in which Captain Whitman of Rockland, Me., and First Mate Sanders were murdered, came to this city yesterday in a letter to Collector Winslow Warren of the port, inclosing a copy of the cablegram from Bahia, Brazil, transmitted to the state department by Vice Consul Brice. The cablegram read as follows:

"John Anderson, naturalized American citizen, steward of the schooner Olive Pecker, killed Captain Whitman and Mate Sanders, apparently under provocation, after which the crew, seemingly under threats of the steward, fired the vessel, leaving her in their boats 120 miles from the Brazilian coast. They drew lots to go in pairs, the steward leaving with a sailor named John Lind, a Swede, while the other four embarked in the other boats and denounced the occurrence at the first place they reached. Anderson and Lind were taken prisoners on board a Norwegian vessel at Port Bahia, and fully confessed the crime to me. All six are now prisoners in the house of correction, and I await an American war vessel to send them to the states, as ordinary steamers are unable or unwilling to take the men. The behavior of the Brazilian authorities is worthy of great praise. The names of the other prisoners are Engineer William Horsbrough, an Englishman; Juan Dies Barriel Gumierrez, a Spaniard; Andrew March, an Englishman, and Martin Barstad, a Norwegian. Depositions of all the men have been taken by me and will be sent by the first steamer, together with photographs of the men."

In previous reports of the horror the name of the murderer has been variously given as Horsbrough, the engineer; Seaman Lind, and Peter Thompson, but neither of these committed the crime, for there was no man named Thompson on board the ill-fated schooner. It is quite certain that the men will be landed here, and their trial held here, not only the home port of the ill-fated craft, but the scene of the trial of the men charged with committing that other ocean horror, the Herbert Fuller murder.

STORY ABOUT BERNHARDT.

Paris, Sept. 14.—The Figaro says that Sarah Bernhardt recently had a narrow escape from death at Belle Isle-on-Mer, department of Morbihan, while endeavoring to reach the shore via the cliffs. After decending a short distance she was unable to advance or retreat. Her shrieks for help attracted the attention of a bather, who climbed up to Madame Bernhardt's side and seized her just as the boulder, to which she was clinging, broke away, and thus saved her from being crushed to death. The actress and her rescuer lost their footing, and rolled down the cliffs to the sea, where they were rescued by a passenger boat.

CASTORIA.
The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

FOUGHT AN EAGLE.

The Bird of Freedom Nearly Outmatched a New Jersey Man.

James C. Kellogg, Jr., a prominent member of the Elizabeth (N. J.) Athletic club, was seriously injured while spending a vacation at Chippewa Bay, N. Y., a few days ago. Kellogg saw a bald eagle circling near the house where he was staying, and, securing a rifle, took a shot at the bird. The bullet broke one of the eagle's wings and the great bird fell into the river. Kellogg rowed out to secure his prize, and it put up such a stiff fight that it took him half an hour to capture it. The wounded eagle defended itself with its powerful beak and sharp talons, and before he had been battling with it five minutes Kellogg's hands and face were gashed and cut in a dozen places.

After fighting half an hour, and just as he was growing weak from loss of blood, Kellogg succeeded in grasping the eagle about the neck with both hands. A short struggle followed, and the boat was overturned, throwing Kellogg into the water. But the eagle was mastered, and, although badly exhausted, Kellogg succeeded in swimming ashore with his prize. The eagle was a magnificent specimen and measured 7 feet 6 inches from tip to tip of its outstretched wings. The bird will be stuffed and mounted.—Exchange.

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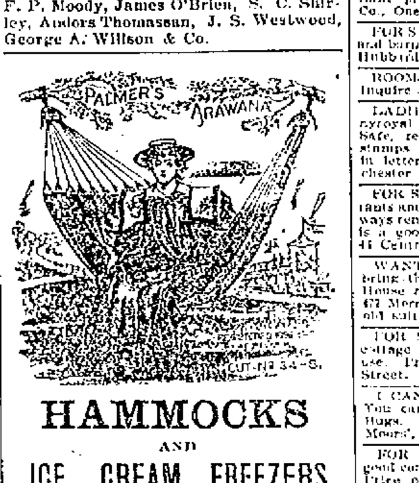

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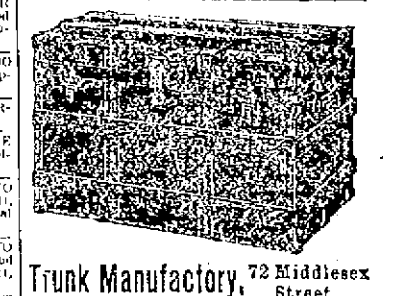

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AN EXCITING BALL GAME

The Kickers Prominent at St. Louis Game Yesterday.

Three Pirates are Suspended—American Cricketers Make a Poor Showing.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 14.—Rowdyism lost the game for the Pittsburgs yesterday. In the eighth inning the first Louisville batter up reached first on a close decision. The whole Pittsburg team kicked, and Hawley and Brodie were but out of the game. Before the inning ended Padden was ordered off the grounds for using insulting language to Kelly, and Hoffmeister was fined $25 for throwing a ball at the umpire's head. The score:

Louisville .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7—7
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Frazer and Wilson; Hawley, Hughey and Merritt.

BASEBALL VARIETY.

Straws will have to be pulled in order to settle the dispute over the New England league championship. The players of the Brockton team have gone to their respective homes, so that it will be impossible to play a game to decide the tie.

Nick Young says: "There is no player in any club in the National league today that can or will play a game of ball after his fine is due. Kill off the umpires and you kill the game. We are losing good patrons every day through the senseless kicking and wrangling on the ball field."

Duffy leads the Bostons in stick work and Kloby is first among the pitchers in games won.

Not long ago one of the Brooklyn players was called out on a close play by Hurst and when passing him at the plate said: "You're a nice duck, ain't you? Say, Tim, I know your girl in Philadelphia." "When any of my friends so forget themselves as to speak to such yellow ball players as you," promptly answered Hurst, taking out his little book and pencil, "I scratch them," and with that he erased the woman's name from his address book.

In the Washington-Cincinnati game yesterday Pitcher Mercer of the Washingtons offered the umpire a pair of spectacles and was put on the bench.

Umpire Mason called yesterday's game between Montreal and Springfield in the first half of the ninth inning after Springfield had one man on first and one man out. Springfield made a kick, but the umpire said it was too dark to play longer, and that settled it.

At Syracuse yesterday, Manager Murray of the Providence team was ejected from the grounds for talking back to Umpire O'Neill.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Washington—
Washington .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2
Batteries—Mercer, McJames and McGuire; Rhines and Schriver.

The game scheduled for yesterday between Boston and Philadelphia was postponed on account of rain.

At New York—
Brooklyn .....1 0 2 1 1 2 1—8
New York .....2 1 0 0 3 1 1—8
Batteries—Kennedy and Burrell; Meekin, Zearfoss and Warner. Game called on account of darkness.

At Baltimore—Two games.
First.
Baltimore .....0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 —4
Chicago .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2
Batteries—Friend and Kittredge; Hoffer and Robinson.
Second.
Baltimore .....0 2 0 3 —11
Chicago .....3 0 1 0 0— 4
Batteries—Nops and Clarke; Griffith, Briggs and Dorcher.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland .....1 0 0 2 3 0 0 1 —7
St. Louis .....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 4—6
Batteries—Powell and Criger; Sudhoff and Murphy.

Eastern ..*..*..*..*..*..* ..* ..* ..*..
At Montreal—
Montreal .....2 0 0 1 2 5 0 0—10
Springfield .....0 0 3 2 1 3 0 1—10
Batteries—McFarland and McNamara; Dolan, Korwan and Duncan.

At Syracuse—
Syracuse .....0 0 1 2 2 0 0 0 —5
Providence .....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2
Batteries—Malarkey and Shaw; Rudderham and Coogan.

THE CROP REPORT

Weekly Review of New England Harvest.

THE CONDITIONS PREVAILING IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Various Crops Have Suf- From Pests,

Boston, Sept. 14.—The week past has given abundant sunshine, very little precipitation, and three days of summer heat; in consequence late fall, field and garden crops have advanced rapidly. Harvesting has been conducted under most favorable conditions. Such corn as had vitality enough to be benefitted has improved wonderfully, and the prospects for this crop are much more encouraging. Nearly all field crops, except corn, have now arrived at a state of maturity. A very large amount of rowen has been secured, making the amount of forage for winter fully equal to any previous year.

Maine.

Corn pushed ahead rapidly during the past week, although another 10 days of favorable weather will be required to put it out of the way of frosts, and even then some will not mature. Fall work is being rushed. As a rule grain is harvested in excellent condition. Potato digging is going on steadily. The crop is in the main, light, and with few exceptions rotting badly. Garden crops are flourishing. Scanty yield of apples. The surface of the ground is becoming dry for about the first time this season, but no harm will result.

New Hampshire.

The past week has been very favorable for corn, and an increased acreage will doubtless ripen. Some early corn has been cut, and silos are being filled. Late corn is making rapid growth, but that on wet land is poor. Rowen is nearly all secured. Rye and grass seed looking finely. Potatoes continue to rot, and the yield is far behind the average. Peaches bring good prices; apples and pears improved; grapes will fall except with an abundance of warmth; blackberries have yielded abundantly. Friday's hot sun practically ruined cranberries in Hillsborough county.

VERMONT.

Vermont.

A very good week for harvesting. Corn has done well, and one week more of good warm weather will fit most of it for cutting. In fact, some corn is already harvested. Potatoes are turning out poorly, as in other sections. Rowen is a heavy crop, and much grain has been secured in fine condition. Pastures are dying.

Massachusetts.

A large amount of corn on dry uplands will mature and some is already in the shock. Rowen is a big crop. Poor crop of apples and potatoes. Grapes are ripening unevenly. Peaches in some localities have done well. Garden vegetables plentiful. Tobacco is very uneven in curing. Cranberry picking well under way, and finished on some bogs; the crop is very light, but the fruit is in good condition generally, although badly scalded by the extreme heat last week. Land is becoming dry in southeastern sections. Streams are the lowest of the season.

Rhode Island.

Corn has matured rapidly on dry land, and is being cut, or is nearly ready for cutting; the yield will likely be small on wet land. Melon, squash and cucumber vines are dying, and light yields are reported. There is complaint of potatoes rotting in the cellars. Fall seeding in progress.

Connecticut.

Corn cutting is now quite general; prospects of late pieces maturing well. Potatoes turn out to be even poorer than expected; many farmers have not enough for family use. Peaches are so plentiful as to overstock local markets. Feed in pastures abundant. Grapes will fall short of an average crop. Apples ripening early and dropping badly. Red varieties are coloring well. Wells and streams are lower than at any time since mid July.

J. W. Smith,
Section Director.

MADE A GALLANT DEFENSE.

Simla, Sept. 14.—The insurgents, yesterday morning, captured the Sarhargarti police post. It was attacked by 3000 Orakzais. A gallant defense was made by the garrison of 21 Sikhs, who for six and a half hours sustained three furious assaults. In the third assault the Orakzais forced the doors. The garrison left the walls to expel the invaders, and the enemy was thus able to escalade the fort with the ladder. One Sikh defended the guard room, killing 20 of the foe. He was finally burned alive at his post. The signaller kept up communication until the fort fell. It is reported that he was the only Sikh who was spared. The startling news comes from Fort Lockhart that the combined bodies of the Afridis and Orakzais number 47,000 men. They are now all collected near Khan-Ki valley, and will advance on the fortifications at Samana for an attack today.

FOR FURNISHING INSTRUMENTS.

Bristol, Vt., Sept. 14.—Dr. H. S. Joslyn of this place, charged with furnishing the instrument or instruments which caused the death of Dora Cushman was given a hearing before Justice Sherwin. The state produced witnesses showing the purchase by Dr. Joslyn of a speculum and other surgical articles, and a certain kind of medicine; also that Smith Davis, accused of causing the girl's death, was seen at the doctor's house, and that the box containing the surgical instrument when sold to Joslyn was found in Davis' trunk. Two surgeons testified as to how these instruments could be used and what the effect would be, after which Dr. Joslyn was held in $500 for the December grand jury.

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New York, Sept. 14.—Seth Low says in his letter accepting the citizens' nomination for the mayoralty: "I am a Republican, and I expect to remain one, but I am completely in sympathy with the purposes of the Citizens' union to secure a mayor for the great city who shall be free from all partisan obligations. Such a mayor, if elected, I shall certainly be. In making appointments, it shall be my endeavor to fill every place with an eye singly to the public good. The patronage of the city shall not be used, so far as it is in the mayor's power to prevent it, for the purpose of either strengthening or weakening one party or another, or any faction of a party. I shall try to make an administration that will be honest, broad-minded, efficient and businesslike; and considerate of the interests of every citizen.

"The civil service laws of the state shall be impartially enforced by such methods as will insure a practicable and reasonable test of fitness and the selection of subordinate officers upon their merits, irrespective of political influences, so as to afford a fair chance to every citizen without regard to race, religious belief or political affiliation. It shall be my endeavor to build up in all parts of the public service a spirit of honest pride, based upon the well settled conviction on the part of every person in the city's employ that, so long as his services are needed and he renders them faithfully and well, no influence in the city shall be able to turn him, but the moment he fails in his duty, no influence shall be strong enough to keep him in.

"Nothing is more vital to the welfare of the city, as I can see it, than it be allowed by the legislature to shape its own destinies in all matters that are purely local. I would wish the great city to bear its part proudly in all that concerns the Empire State, but as concerns the city's local affairs, it is not so much a part of the state as it is the home of its inhabitants. If I am elected, I shall contend steadily for the city's right, in such matters, to govern itself."

GOSSIP OVER A WOMAN'S DEATH.

Centre Ossipee, N. H., Sept. 14.—The death from opium poisoning, apparently, of Mrs. J. R. Hatch, wife of Dr. J. R. Hatch, on Saturday night, has awakened great interest here, as it remains to be determine if her death was an act of suicide. An autopsy was held by Coroner Lougee, and it is not yet completed, the jury being excused until the viscera of the dead woman is examined by experts. The autopsy thus far shows that all the organs were normal.

Dr. Hatch says that when he left the house Saturday evening his wife was all right. On his return he found her lying unconscious on the bed, fully dressed, with an empty laudanum bottle by her side. He at once used the stomach pump, but failing to obtain relief for the woman, he sent for another physician, who did not arrive in time to save Mrs. Hatch.

The neighbors, who had seen that Mrs. Hatch was all right apparently earlier in the day, were greatly surprised at the death, and as there had been stories of domestic troubles in the Hatch family they sought and obtained an investigation. Dr. Hatch was not detained, and while the autopsy will determine the cause of death the suicide theory seems the only plausible one.

FULL AGREEMENT POSSIBLE.

London, Sept. 14.—The morning papers contain dispatches from Constantinople asserting that all the ambassadors are now in receipt of instructions enabling them to come to a full agreement on the basis of Lord Salisbury's proposals for the constitution of an international commission representing the six powers to assume control of the revenues with which Greece will guarantee the payment of interest to the holders of old bonds, as well as payment of the indemnity loan. Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, has renewed his protest on behalf of Turkey at the "needless delay in arriving at a settlement." According to authoritative reports the treaty of peace may now be signed at any moment.

GRANT NOT A CANDIDATE.

New York, Sept. 14.—Hugh J. Grant said yesterday: "I am not and will not be a candidate for mayor of Greater New York. The report that my father-in-law, Senator Murphy, is trying to get the nomination for me is false. I have not had a talk with Senator Murphy on the subject. If I want the nomination I shall ask for it."

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TOWN SWEPT BY TORNADO

Texas Suffers Much From the Terrific Visitation.

The Wires Down and Details are Meagre—Six Persons Killed in One Place.

Port Arthur, Tex., Sept. 14.—A tornado, terrible in its velocity, struck this little town at an early hour Sunday night, and six people are known to have been killed, while many others were injured.

The dead—Frank Albright, Kansas City, employed by Electric Light company; George Martin, bricklayer, residence unknown; unknown man, aged 36; May Ainsworth, 13 years of age, daughter of William Ainsworth; infant son of W. H. Johnson, blown from its mother's arms and drowned; Fritz Michaels, laborer, residence unknown.

The injured are Mrs. Roy Stafford, right leg broken near hip; Roy Stafford, legs badly bruised; little daughter of Stafford, seriously injured.

Many buildings were blown down, including the railroad roundhouse, where May Ainsworth was killed.

From early morning the sky was threatening and a stiff gale blew. No rain of consequence fell until 4 p. m., and then it was accompanied by a wind that increased in intensity until it reached the velocity of 80 miles an hour.

Advices from Swinnie say that nearly all the houses there have been blown down and torn away.

At Webb, all of the barns and one house were demolished and scattered over the country.

Nothing can be heard from Sabine pass, as all telegraphic communication has been interrupted. A relief train left Beaumont last night for Port Arthur and Sabine pass. It is known that much destruction was wrought at Sabine pass, with probable loss of life. Everything possible is being done to establish communication with the place.

The following telegram was received from Beaumont at a late hour: "The relief train has just returned from Sabine pass. It is reported that the new town is completely gone. Nothing heard from the old town. From reports things look bad there."

FOR FIVE ROUNDS

Frank Erne and Harry Becker Contested

IN THE RING AND ERNE WAS THE VICTOR.

Thousands Changed Hands on Result.

Buffalo, Sept. 14.—Frank Erne of this city knocked out Harry Becker of Bayonne, N. J., in the fifth round before a packed house at the Olympic club last night. The betting at the ringside was 100 to 70 on Erne, and when the New York contingent, which came to back Becker, was drained, the odds rose to two to one. Becker was freely touted as a coming champion in the 126-pound class, and much money changed hands on the result.

The battle was a very fast and scientific one. In the opening round Erne landed almost at will, but without damage to his opponent, who was in magnificent condition. In the three following rounds Becker forced the fighting and had the best of it, Erne playing a waiting game. Erne started the fifth round in lively fashion and landed right and left swings with terrific force on head and body. A fierce right hander sent Becker reeling, and Frank followed it up with short arm jolts that soon had Becker so groggy that Referee Jack Sheehan of Boston, to avoid a complete knockout, declared Erne the victor. Erne came out of the contest without a mark. The winner will be matched against Dal Hawkins of San Francisco for a $2500 purse.

"Kid" McCoy was introduced to the spectators and received an ovation. He said that he was robbed of a victory over Tommy Ryan at Syracuse and was willing to meet him anywhere for any amount of money, Buffalo preferred.

CRICKET WITH BRITISHERS.

New York, Sept. 14.—The international cricket match which opened the series to be played between the English players, who arrived here last week, and the New York and Philadelphian experts attracted a fair-sized crowd of enthusiasts to the grounds of the Staten Island Cricket club at Livingston yesterday. The Americans who tackled the Britons in the initial game were chosen from the clubs which make up the Metropolitan Cricket league, and they were a very representative eleven.

The Englishmen won and decided to take the initiative. The total of the first inning was 196, including 18 extras. The New Yorkers did not make as good a showing as expected, only three of them getting double figures. Four others did nothing, and the remainder very little more. Bull's bowling was very effective, as he secured six wickets for 41 runs.

At 5 o'clock the Englishmen went in for their second inning, with Jessop and Head as batsmen. Stumps were drawn at 5:20 o'clock, with the score 33 for two wickets. Play was resumed at 11 o'clock today.

THIRTEEN BEHIND.

Montreal, Sept. 14.—The cricket match between the Montreal Zingari and the Longwood Boston Cricket clubs drew forth a large number of the lovers of the game yesterday. The excellent playing of Hill and Walker made the total of 59 scored by Montreal possible. On Longwood going to the bat, man after man fell to the bowling of Richardson. Crackwell played a good game and Lindsay kept the fielders guessing by his brilliant placing of the ball. Some misjudged fielding on Montreal's part rendered it possible for Longwood to quit just 13 behind. The game was left in an interesting stage, but the Montreals feel that they need 50 more to feel safe.

EARNINGS OF RACERS.

Out of the thousands of horses that were gotten ready or planned to race in the big line of 1897 but 109 succeeded in getting $500 in gross to their credit. If a horse followed the line from Detroit to New York he could not possibly pay expenses if he did not win $2500 or over. The record to date shows that 109 horses won $500 or over, 73 won $1000 or over, 36 won $2000 or over, 22 $2500 or over, 16 $3000 or over, eight $4000 or over, 4 $5000 or over; only one horse has approached the $10,000 limit and she won two of the big purses offered in a whole season for speed horses.

PRELIMINARY PRACTICE.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 14.—The Princeton football players began preliminary practice yesterday. About 20 men responded for work. Captain Cochran drilled the players half an hour in catching punts and falling on the ball. Trainer McMasters sent them around the running track a few times, and this was deemed sufficient work for the first afternoon. Today the gridiron will be marked out, all the players and coaches will have arrived, and the "tigers" will go to work in earnest. Princeton will meet Yale at New Haven on Nov. 20.

THE RIGBY RACES.

Portland, Me., Sept. 14.—As rain prevented the opening day's races at Rigby, they were set forward a day. There is a big string of fast horses at the park, and a season of rare sport is expected with the breaking of records. Everybody is looking forward to the great 2:09 trot, which will probably take place next Thursday. Derby Princess, Dan Cupid, Nemoline, Early Bird, Queen Allen, B. B. P., The Monk, Louis Victor and Rilma are out for it.

MAINE POLO LEAGUE.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 14.—A meeting of the Maine Polo league has been called for Thursday, Sept. 16, at the Johnson House, Gardiner. Several applications for membership have been received during the summer months. Every team in the league is being strengthened, and the Maine polo season is expected to be the warmest on record.

CHESS TOURNAMENT.

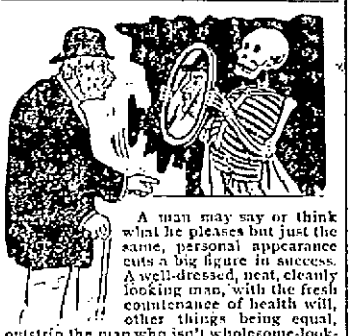
Berlin, Sept. 14.—The first round of the international chess tournament was played in this city yesterday. Of the 10 games played only four resulted in victories, namely: Von Marco, Blackburne, Walbrodt and Alapin, respectively. Five games were drawn and one was adjourned. The second round will be played today.

STABBED IN THE BACK.

Nashua, N. H., Sept. 14.—In Hudson last evening while Arthur Kidney, 39 years of age, was in the boiler room at Melendy's mills, he was attacked by David Robinson and stabbed twice in the back. The men were formerly employed at the mills and had had trouble. The wounded man expressed the wish that Robinson should not be prosecuted.

Paris has been full of mosquitoes this summer.

Glasgow has a population of nearly 1,000,000 and has only 404 doctors.


A man may say or think what he pleases but just the same, personal appearance cuts a big figure in success. A well-dressed, neat, cleanly looking man, with the fresh countenance of health will, other things being equal, outstrip the man who isn't wholesome-looking. Many men imagine that hard work—"hustling" they call it—counts for everything. In the long run the easy-going man who takes time to think of his health and his personal appearance outstrips the reckless, neglectful "hustler." Many men are held back in the struggle of life by their personal appearance. Through neglect of the digestion their blood gets full of impurities and humors which show themselves on the face and body in the shape of skin affections, blotches, eruptions, eczema and scrofula.
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FACTS AND FANCIES IN WOMAN'S REALM.

A Neat Fall Wrap.

One of the neatest wraps of the early fall is a black silk plush mantle possessed of wide revers and a high roll collar decorated with fine braid and embroidery, and round the waist a cetature of black satin.

The newest millinery models include a green rustic straw, with soft, full crown of dark malachite velvet, with

MANTLE-OF-BLACK-SILK

a ruche of eau de Nil velvet round the crown, and handsome black ostrich plumes and white ospreys. A toque betrave velvet had a very original drawn crown, and a somewhat simple trimming of rich striped brocaded ribbon, and jet buckles. A "Di Vernon" hat in black velvet had sweeping plumes of black ostrich springing from a cut silver buckle, and was turned up at one side with a large black bow. A tiny bonnet of black tulle and sequins had upright spikes of diamonds, sequinned back plumes, and curled white ospreys; and in young ladies' hats there was an attractive display.

One of the newest autumn fancies, the long dark green cloth pelisse, illustrated, is an attractive example of what will be in mode in the coming month. The bodice portion, as well as the sleeves, are decorated with a superb design in black satin applique,

A-CLOTH-PELISSE

and make a lovely background for the handsome skunk which trims the deep collar and single rever which terminates at the left side; the whole is lined with rich black satin, and yet the price is within the limits of an ordinary purse.

For nearly half a century there lived near Columbia, Mo., on a fine farm of 168 acres a brother and sister, William and Julia Barnes, both deaf mutes. They lived utterly alone and little was known of them except that they were a remarkable pair. Neither had ever seen a railroad train and knew little of modern civilization. They dressed in the style of fifty years ago.

William Barnes, the older of the pair, died recently at the age of 77 years, and the sister was prostrated with grief. She refused to see visitors and remained for days alone in her room with the door locked. It was reported in the neighborhood that a large sum of money was in the house and it was feared that the place would be raided. James English and Parker Barnes of that neighborhood, decided to investigate. They searched the house and found it like a Klondike gold mine. Money was everywhere—under the carpets, over the doors and windows, tucked into old shoes and stockings. They found gold, silver, and bills, besides a number of valuable notes and papers. In all $5,000 was found. The Public Administrator was informed, and on the belief that the aged sister of the deceased was irresponsible, the money was placed in a bank. The parents of the strange pair lived and died on the same farm.

Make time for serious thoughts. Let no day pass without some memory of solemn things. Each morning as you rise remind yourselves that "God spake these words and said." Each evening as you lie down to rest let God's angels close the door of your heart on thoughts of purity and peace. The soul that has never lived face to face with eternity is a vulgar soul. The life that has never learnt the high law of holiness is a ruined and a wasted life.—F. W. Farrar.

Rev. Sam Jones is telling his audiences just who will go to heaven and who will be denied that privilege. It is hardly necessary to state that those who decline to contribute to the Jones plate are denied places on that gentleman's eligible list.

The Queen of England's decendants either now occupy or will in due course sit upon seven thrones—namely, those of the British Empire, the German Empire, the Russian Empire, the Kingdom of Greece, the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, the Grand Duchy of Hesse and the Duchy of Saxe-Meiningen—an amount of territory ruled by her descendants which must comprise at least half of the entire globe. Her Majesty is also a relative of the King of Hanover, the King of Denmark and the King of the Belgians. The Queen, it may be mentioned, became a grandmother when she was 40.

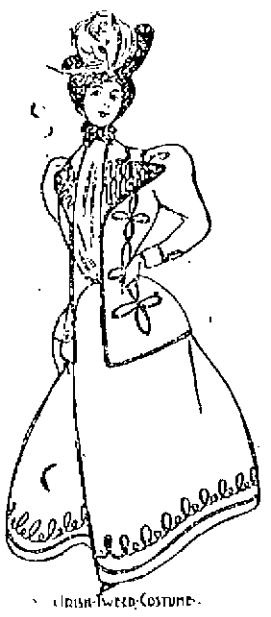
Mr. Chamleigh—Excuse me, Miss Cawker, I didn't catch what you said just now. My mind was wandering.

Miss Cawker—What! Is the poor little thing able to go out alone?

Then he got his hat and said good-by, only once, after reaching the door.

Irish Tweed Costume.

This is a charming example of the Irish fleece tweed in snow white, fashioned into a golf cape or evening wrap with Medici collar and quaint hood; it is unlined, but the material, which is like combed lamb's wool, is identically the same on both sides; this fa-



IRISH-TWEED-COSTUME

bric is kept in all colors, and will certainly have a vogue this autumn.

In Caledon Tweed.

A pretty fall costume is of Caledon tweed in green faintly shot with dove-grey; the latter shade is the hue of the band of cloth which overlies the hem, and forms the background for an effective braiding design carried out

ON-CALEDON-TWEED

in black and silver. The short beautifully cut Eton coat shows two conventional fern leaves braided on the back seams, and again pointing diagonally from the square-cut fronts of the coat. The dove cloth revers, collar, and cuffs are in keeping with the character of the gown, and are richly braided, and the whole is lined with gold and green shot silk of brilliant lustre.

After the placeur (or regular chiffonnier who owns the right to sift a certain number of dustbins) has finished with her overhauling she leaves the despoiled dusbin which it would seem contains little else than decayed vegetables and cinders to the tender mercies of the roving chiffonniers or coureurs.

These novices do not make much profit from their scant pickings, poor things, one franc and a half being the most they can earn.

The early morning frequenters of the streets are innumerable and the many odd callings they represent are more than puzzling to the American. There are the tondeurs de chiens or dog-tenders, who pass through the streets at a certain hour every day, announcing their presence by a particular cry, and with their shears and little box of necessaries will for a small consideration wash and clip the French poodles, making their toilets in most artistic fashion.

Bertha—What is the height of your ambition, dear?

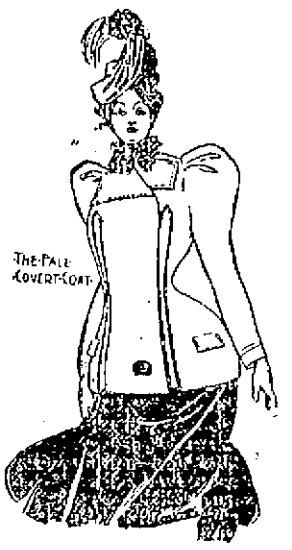
Marie (blushing)—Oh, something between five and a half and six feet.—London Fun.

Texas, according to those who have driven through the State, has some queer ways. The climate is said to be the hottest, coldest, wettest and driest in all the country.

Convicts work on the roads in this State. Following the chain gang is a wagon conveying a big cage, in which bloodhounds are kept in the daytime. The dogs, of course, are used to track escaped prisoners. At night the brutes are turned out and the convicts sleep in the cage. The chain gang processions are seen on the roads summer and winter.—Toledo Blade.

A Fall Covert Coat.

A stylish fall coat is here shown. It is made of light fawn covert cloth, trimmed with wide bands of stitching, and has a collar of rich petunia velvet. This garment is a trifle longer than



THE-FALL-COVERT-COAT

those of late years, and fits tightly into the waist, at the sides and back, but has a loose, double-breasted effect in front, fastening invisibly on the left side. It is lined with rich red changeable taffeta silk throughout. The sleeves of the regulation coat style fit snugly to the arm, with a very slight fullness at the top. A tie of soft fawn colored silk dotted with white is worn around the throat to give a softening effect.

With this handsome coat goes a pretty toque, also of petunia velvet to match the collar. It is turned up directly on the left side, where it is trimmed with black plumes and aigrettes of light fawn color.

Incidentally.

Brady of Indiana, who has been appointed Governor of Alaska, has had an interesting and romantic career. To the best of his knowledge he is a native of New York city. He never knew his parents nor the name they gave him, if any. He grew up a veritable street arab in the utmost poverty. In 1860 he was sent to Indiana with a car load of waifs as miserable as himself.

The car reached Tipton, a county seat thirty miles north of Indiana, and a number of the youngsters were committed to the care of residents. Judge John Green, a prominent citizen of the place, called for the "ugliest, raggedest, and most friendless" in the lot. "Jack," as he was afterward known, was promptly presented; and, at first, the Judge, appalled at so much misery in bulk, was inclined to go back on his demand, but finally took the lad home to Mrs. Green. She was out of patience with her husband for his action, but the absolute destitution of the boy appealed to her and she got down to the real boy by a process of thorough cleaning. After the examination she thought she might learn to like him and Jack's new life began.

He appreciated his home and the kindness of his benefactors, and diligently applied himself to study, proving himself capable and efficient. A course at the public schools was followed by a year at Wayland Academy a well-known preparatory institution, and that by four years at Harvard. He had determined to be a preacher, and after he had been graduated at Cambridge he was sent by Judge Green to England to pursue his theological studies. Returning to Tipton in 1876, the next year he went to Alaska as a missionary under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church, and he has since remained there. His interest in the field was not confined to his missionary labors, and in 1881 he visited the States, displaying specimens of its gold and silver ores, and telling marvellous stories of its natural resources. As a result of his talks there was a large increase of the population of the Territory, capitalists and prospectors being attracted by his enthusiastic descriptions. Mr. Brady contributed largely to the reports of the census of 1890 respecting Alaska and in the Harrison Administration served as Commissioner of the Territory.

John Kendall, who was recently the foreman of a mine at Rossland, B. C., lately underwent an experiment that has left him a physical wreck. His nerves were shattered and it will be months before he regains his former strength.

Kendall and four other men lighted the short fuses under eight charges of giant powder in the True Blue mine and then jumped into the basket to be hauled to the surface and out of harm's way. The basket raised a few feet and then stopped. Soon it began settling, and it looked as though the five men would be blown to atoms when the tremendous charges of powder were exploded. When the basket was within four feet of the bottom of the shaft the fuses could be heard sputtering, and the men knew that only a few seconds would elapse before the blasts were discharged.

Kendall jumped from the basket and began pulling the fuses from the primers, which were to explode the powder.

Kendall had extinguished five of the fuses nearest the bottom of the shaft when he heard the preliminary sputtering that betokened an immediate explosion several feet away. He stumbled towards them and fell, extinguishing his light. Then there was nothing but the spitting fire to guide him.

"Fortunately," he says in describing his actions, "the two shots had been put down close together. I was able to seize a fuse in either hand. Providence was with me again, for neither blast exploded as I drew the fuse from the primers. What happened after that I do not know of my own knowledge. A great darkness came over me. They say they found me doubled up at the bottom of the shaft, with the fuses of the last two holes clinched tightly in my hands."

It was afterwards discovered that the stopping of the ascending basket was due to the engineer's carelessness. He had forgotten to open the water-cocks in the cylinders, and, as a consequence the slide valves choked and would not act.—New York World.

As illustrating the almost incredible extent which the Italians—the Sicilians especially—can communicate with gestures, grimaces, and what is called the sign language generally, Alexandre Dumas relates that he was one evening in the theater at Palermo, with a gentleman of that city named Aramí, when his attention was attracted to what appeared to be, and in fact were, conversations carried on between the boxes and the orchestra. Presently Dumas' companion recognized an acquaintance on the other side of the house, and began exchanging with him eager notions of the hands and eyes. When it ended, Dumas begged to know what had been said, and was informed that the gentleman was a friend of Signor Aramí who had been away for three years. "He told me," said Signor Aramí, "that he had been married in Naples, and then had traveled for three years with his wife in Austria and France; that a daughter was born and died; and that he had arrived by steamboat yesterday, but could not bring his wife to the opera with him because she had suffered so much from seasickness as to unable to come." Dumas was so astonished that he went privately and verified this account; and he adds other equally long and complicated conversations which came under his notice at Syracuse and Naples.

Jenny Lind's sojourn in America was fruitful in many ways. Her progress left a chain of charities through the land by which orphans and sick are still nurtured and healed. The rapture of her music created a criterion by which the success of every other artist has been measured from that day to this. The tradition of her pure and noble womanhood has remained to music a bulwark against which the scandal and corruption of the operatic and musical world has broken in vain. In the memory of every human being who heard her, her singing has rung to the hour of death as the one perfect and sublime revelation of the beauty and ecstacy of music itself. This is much. But America owes Jenny Lind one other and greater debt that has never been recognized, which it is the purpose of this article to consider. She brought the musical temperament of America to consciousness of itself. Her tour was the supreme moment in our national history when young America, ardent, enthusiastic, impressible, heard and knew its own capacity for musical feeling forever. From that hour it has received or denied the world's great artists who have made pilgrimage hither, supreme in its own consciousness of its artistic needs and temperament.—Fanny Morris Smith in the Century.

The New York Sun, Mr. Dana's paper, says that after describing Hawaii as "a rotten republic," and characterizing its people as an "abominable community," and its government as "a gang of crooked schemers" our contemporary, the New York Times, proceeded yesterday morning to remark:

"Over all this unspeakable nastiness we propose to unfurl the American flag. We take Hawaii into our Federal sisterhood, and ought to wear the hue of shame and hang our heads in doing it, as might a man who should take into his home a wretched trollop of the streets."

Saturday, like Friday, was an uncommonly hot day. On Friday the Mugwump Evening Post came to the melancholy conclusion that popular government had ceased to exist in this country; although later in the day it revised its threnody so far as to admit that popular government might yet be alive, although constitutional government was certainly dead.

Saturday's heat acted somewhat different upon the cranium of the Times. We as a nation are all right, whatever the Evening Post might say to the contrary, but the estimable inhabitants of the Hawaiian Islands and the respectable gentlemen who constitute the government of that little republic will appear to the Times' superheated brains as things of "unspeakable nastiness."

How much better it is that in newspaper offices where intellect is at the mercy of the thermometer the ebullition of the gray matter should manifest itself in such comparatively benign symptoms as in the Tribune establishment, which produced on the hottest of Saturdays for yesterday's reading a masterly editorial article, showing that the finer qualities of human nature have not entirely disappeared from earth, and containing this lovely passage:

"Not yet the age of chivalry is gone. Not yet, nor ever will be while human nature to itself holds true. The splendors of knight-errantry are past. The valiant deeds that glorified the age of force are done; happy if not forgotten or discredited. Yet each revolving year, defying the dreary drivel of materialism and rebuking the pale plane of Mugwump mediocrity, brings to the fore, some new, resplendent scene that shows how slight and puerile are storm and wreck and woe and death before the conquering greatness of the human soul."

There was nearly a column that read like a poem. How much better it is, we repeat, that the crisis should pass thus harmlessly, rather than in melancholia or violence.

A young fellow in town was surprised the other day. He proposed to a girl, and instead of her saying, "It is so sudden," she said, "It's about time."

Reggy: "I hear Cholly has concussion of the bwain."

Algy: "Yaas, poor chap, two twains of thought collided."

In the parlor of G. J. McBrian, of Oakland, Cal., stands a three-legged table, big enough to leaf to hold a heavy dictionary or bible, that is attracting the attention of the neighbors. The table has been in the McBrian's parlor more than a year. It has been varnished and revarnished many times. The table has never been wet, and it has not received an excessive amount of sunshine. Nevertheless, two or three weeks ago tiny buds formed on two of the legs, on the table, and now vivid green sprouts have taken place. These sprouts have become slender branches, covered with leaves. It is a remarkable manifestation of the virility of plant life under adverse circumstances. The McBrians do not known how old the table

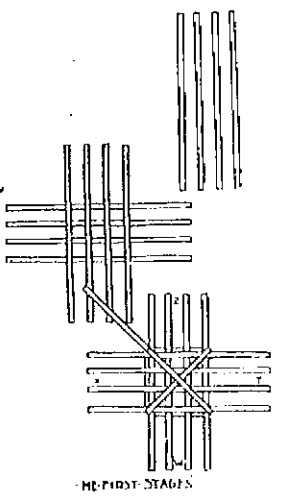
PRETTY THINGS FOR THE HOUSEHOLD.

Making a Bike Basket.

The proper thing for the wheeling girl nowadays is to make for herself, or for the brother of some other girl, a pretty wicker-basket which can be readily attached to the handlebar of the bike. How to make it is easily learned but the beginner had better stand on a round mat, which later on can be used as the foundation of the basket.

Cut eight pieces of split cane the same length. Take four of the eight pieces you have cut and lay them down on the table, taking care to get all the ends evenly together.

Next take your four remaining pieces and lay them across the four on the table, as exactly in the middle as possible, so that they now resemble a cross.



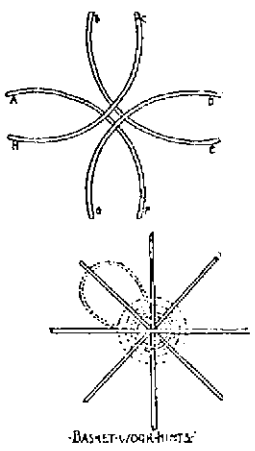
THE-FIRST-STAGES

When this cross is obtained, the pieces of cane forming it are known as your "rays." To begin to weave, take a piece of cane of rather finer quality than you used for your rays. This finer piece is called the "weaving thread," and you work with it as follows: Lay one end of the weaving thread down by one set of rays, to form an odd ray. (For if you work, with an even number of rays, it is obvious that you will not be able to form a pattern). Then pass your weaving thread under the first set of four rays, next cross it over diagonally to the opposite corner and pass it under the set of rays marked "x," where it should be beside the odd ray.

Now cross it over, diagonally, to the opposite corner and under the set of rays marked "w," when your weaving thread ought to have made a diagonal cross over the middle of the cross made by the rays.

To ensure absolute firmness, pass your thread over the set of rays marked "x," under the odd ray, over the set marked "z," and under "y," over "w," under "x," over the odd.

Now divide your rays into twos instead of fours and to make the mat a better shape it will be as well to gently press "a" and "h" together, and "g" and "f," "e" and "d," and "c" and "b." Weave steadily on, over two and under two, alternately, always remembering the odd ray, until the desire size is obtained, when the weaving



BASKET-WORK-HINTS

thread is fastened off by pushing it down by a ray.

The border to finish the mat off is made with the rays. Many pretty ones are easily designed, the following being an example.

Take one ray and pass it under the ray next to it and push it down, through the woven part, by the ray next but one. Then do the same with the next ray, and so on all round the mat, being careful to get all the loops the same size, so as to make the mat when finished, quite round in shape.

Possibly the most interesting woman's invention was patented by the wife of a well-known western man. There had been some trouble with a lock, either at her home or at her husband's office, and she had been much wrought up about it. When she went to bed at night she dreamed of a new lock made on a plan entirely different from any she had ever seen. In the morning she made a model of her dream lock out of a cake of soap. Then she took the model to a machinist, who duplicated the soap lock in steel, and it worked so satisfactorily that a large firm of lockmakers offered a royalty to her for the privilege of manufacturing locks after her design, and she is still in receipt of a considerable income every year from that source.—Ohio State Journal.

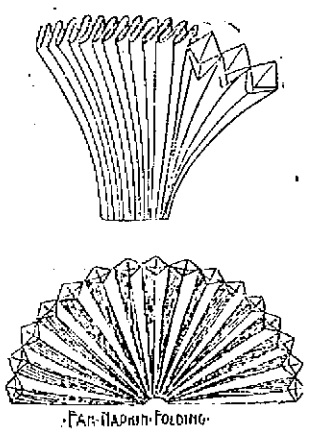
The wonderful development of certain faculties in the cases of persons who have lost the use of some of their natural functions, or of others whose faculties have not been fully developed, has long been a matter of remark, but it is not alone the outside observes who appreciate the provisions of nature for the benefit of the unfortunates. The sufferers themselves often appreciate this fully, and in some instances, after years, grow to depend so much upon their acquired faculties as to be afraid of a change, even if they have the chance of one, says the New York Sun.

An illustration of this is given by a woman in Brooklyn who never has learned to read or write. In no way could one discover this except by her own admission, or by putting her to a direct test, for she is one of the best educated women in the country, conversant with languages, art, literature and all the current topics of the day. She is rich, too, and could afford all the services of the best teachers if she chose to learn to read but she refuses to do so.

When this woman was a child her parents lived far from schools, so she had no chance then to learn to read or write. As a mere child she began to earn her own living, and again the chance for schooling slipped away. Then she married, and the cares of a family took up her time. By the time the babies were off her hands her husband had grown rich, and then she began her real education, and now, as a widow, she continues it. Her companions read to her and talk with her about all the topics which interest her. Years of such work have stored her mind with a rich treasure of knowledge, and there is not a page of a book that has been read to her that she is not familiar with; her stores of knowledge are at her instant command. Why will she not learn to read? Because, she says, she fears that this wonderful memory, which is now such a treasure house to her, might be impaired if she were to do anything to weaken the demands upon it.

The Fan-shaped Napkin.

To fold the napkin into a fan design is simplicity itself. First, place the napkin on the table, with the hem at top and bottom before you, and fold it through the center to bring



FAN-NAPKIN-FOLDING

the fold at top. The next fold is accomplished by turning up one side to bring hem level with fold at top. After which turn napkin over from right to left to bring the under part uppermost, and then fold up this side.

It is now ready for pleating up; to do which, place napkin lengthways before you and arrange it in nice even pleats, which must be well pressed with the hand so that they may retain their form. Take the napkin in the left hand, with the two folds at the top, and the fold with single edge either side at bottom, then you can open out each pleat and press down the inner point with a pencil or the finger-tip, as clearly shown by the diagram.

Having done all the pleats thus, turn the napkin over from left to right and proceed to pull the top of each pleat down as you did the other side. Press the base of the pleats firmly together, and pull the fan out, like the fan design, when it will stand on the table, leaning against the roll of bread, which should be placed at the back.

Golf Cape of Fleece Tweed.

One of the smartest autumn gowns yet displayed is of Irish tweed of rich Austrian-blue mixture and has six rows of narrow white tracing braid surrounding the skirt, and rising to a point on the front breadth over a quaintly embroidered horse shoe and hunting crop; the same device on a

HORSE-IN-GOLF-CAPES

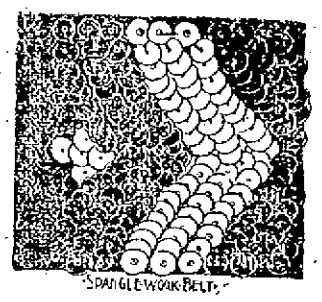
small scale ornaments the fronts of the medium length jacket, which is outlined with two rows of the white braid, and on the smart little velvet collar the horse shoe again appears. The costume is strikingly original and in the best style.

A Belt in Spangle Work.

Spangled belts are still much in favor, and the one here illustrated shows the spangles arranged in vandykes, black and silver being the colors employed. Obtain a length of firm black satin ribbon double that required to encircle the waist, as half of this will be fore the lining. On the half, which is to be embroidered make a row of little dots with white chalk about ¾ of an inch apart along both edges of the ribbon. Along the exact centre of the satin mark a third row of dots, also at ¾ of an inch apart, and arranged to come exactly between the dots along the sides. Then chalk vandykes from each side dot to a centre one, and across to the dot exactly opposite the starting place. These marks serve as guide lines by help of which the work may be kept even; there is room for three rows of ½ inch spangles between each pair of dots.

Start with one spangle on each centre dot, and bring from each of these an overlapping row of spangles along to the edge of the ribbon, fastening off the last sequin with a bead. The method of working is shown in the illustration, where some rows are left unfinished as a model.

The sequins, it will be noted, are



SPANGLE-WORK-BELT

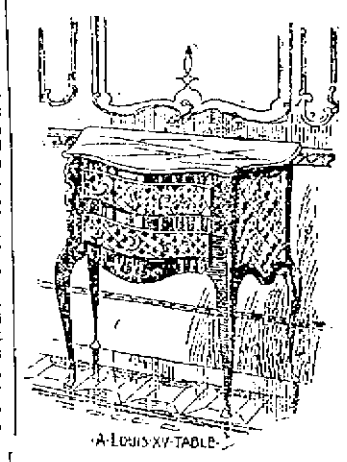
arranged in three rows of silver and three of black set alternately. When a sufficient length is completed the embroidery is backed with ribbon, and small black hooks and eyes are sewn on as invisibly as possible.

M. Nado, director of a Parisian theater, had a silver watch which, though dear at 30 francs, had in the course of its service saved its owner a snug fortune. He was rich, and was known to be so throughout the theatrical world and his opportunities of making small loans to impoverished actors were quite unrivaled. The artist would state his case, and the great man would listen sympathetically. "Ah," he would say, "that is sad, very sad. Would I could help you, but I've just made some heavy payments, and haven't ten francs about me. But hold, my friend, here is this watch. Take it. Truly it is not much, but it is all I have." Generally, of course, the offer was not accepted; but if by chance it was, M. Nado continued: "And bring me the pawn ticket to-morrow. I'll redeem it." As no pawnbroker in Paris would lend more than 5 francs on it, serious outlay, and it was ready for the same service over again.—Philadelphia Record.

A Louis XV. Revival.

Louis XV furniture is going to be the rage the coming winter, reproductions of the styles favored by that beauty-loving monarch being made for the dining room, the drawing rooms and sleeping apartments.

Green was his favorite color, but we he did not favor any particular kind of



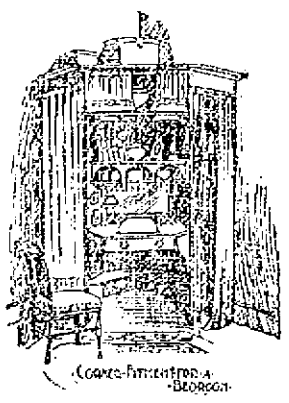
A-LOUIS-XV-TABLE

wood, the markers are using oak, mahogany and enamelled woods of various shades of green.

The daintiness of the style is shown by the illustration of an inlaid mahogany commode with a marble top. Marble by the way is again coming to the front after a long period of retirement.

A Handy Bedroom Fitment.

A most convenient and tasteful piece of bedroom furniture is shown here. Any carpenter could arrange a corner



COMBE-FURNITURE-IN-BEDROOM

cupboard and writing table such as the one sketched, quite inexpensively. It is merely so many shelves of wood stained or enamelled to match the room, and fixed into position. If the coloring of the rest of the room warrants it the whole should be stained green, and the curtains hung at both sides to form hanging cupboards must be of cigar-brown serge or cretonne. The window curtains in this room may also be of the same.

In using the corners of a room in this way, much valuable space is saved, and I suppose we all like to have a writing or work table in our bedroom, if only such luxuries can be obtained inexpensively.

She—Have you really seen that wonderful set of pictures that Miss Leftover has had taken, one on each birthday?

He—Yes; but they're very indistinct. You see the photos have faded at one end of the list, and the subject at the other.—Truth.

"Don't you think young Porticus is a budding genius?"

"No, I think he is more of a blooming idiot."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

LABOR MATTERS

MACAULAY REVISED.

HIS SAIL AND ANCHOR EPIGRAM ON OUR CONSTITUTION REVERSED.

The Inspired Few Who Alone Can Read That Sacred Document—The Plowmen Who Look Back—The Joys That Perish and Those That Perish Not.

[Special Correspondence.]

Macaulay gave us his analysis of our constitution in the following words: "It is all sail and no anchor. There is nothing to stay you." The writer suggests the following amendment: "It is all anchor and no sail. There is nothing to propel us onward." Macaulay was a born aristocrat and an Englishman besides, a man with considerable sense in certain directions, but an Englishman and an aristocrat all the same, a combination which implies a dislike for popular rights not originated and sanctified by the English aristocracy and so made subservient to all aristocratic supremacy. The mere idea of men without property and with the right to vote, that alone meant too much sail and no anchor, sail enough for us to go soon into destruction, in the mind of Macaulay. That is just the idea that is today lurking in the brains of most of our American wealthy chaps. How much folly you can find in the wisdom of men up to a Macaulay, a historian who had not yet learned the most fundamental lesson of history. And the lesson is that the incomplete and wrong progress of humanity has always been due to the fact that the working masses have never had backbone enough to assert their most basic rights. That is just the trouble with us today.

Our plain Thomas Jefferson understood the situation. He never thought that we should go to pieces because of excess in popular rights, but because of their deficiency. Too much power with the federal judiciary is the danger that Jefferson pointed out over three-quarters of a century ago, power from men who were not in office by the will of the people and did not need to be afraid of losing their fat salaries no matter what they should see fit to do with their power. The idea of a few men alone, a few popes, being able to read the constitution and the laws enacted by legislative bodies! What is that but converting 70,000,000 of free citizens into a pack of idiots? And still we brag about our own freedom. Should we blame the judges for that? Not at all. They simply perform the duties we have agreed they should perform. We simply get what we deserve for our own folly or simplicity or infatuation, call it what you like.

That this nation of ours is pretty sick and may in due time be sick unto death is not even denied by any sensible judge or plutocrat in his sober moments. They don't like to talk about it and get angry if you do, thereby proving their own fears of the situation. And who is the real patriot, the sound conservative, the honest citizen, the Christian after the manner of Christ? Is he anything of the kind who is afraid of truth, afraid to look after remedies with which to save his own nation from fatal dangers visible all around?

Homer said that Agamemnon was made to be a king of men. The writer thinks that all men are made to be their own kings in the sense of understanding truth and so being able to read the laws of their own nation. Just as well not to have any laws if we cannot read them. Who is it that cannot read the law of the golden rule? Let all human laws be in accord with that one, and we shall not need any judges for the reading of our own laws.

"No man having put his hand to the plow and looking back is worthy of the kingdom of heaven." And we, the citizens of the grand nation, have to be constantly looking back to what our fathers 120 years ago meant when they concocted a constitution about the workings of which they themselves were full of apprehensions and fears. Some considered it too radical, like Grandpa Macaulay, and others felt in their bones that it was altogether too fossilized. And don't you know that we fail to worship the Father as long as we insist upon worshiping the fathers?

Men have always been the same fallible beings, forever groping in the dark, making experiments in search of the joys that perish and forgetting all about the joys that perish not. The latter only come to those who love the plain working masses at least as much as each one may love himself and his own family group. He who joins his tears with those of humanity down to the bottom, and loves the bottom better than the top—he who stands for the rights of those at the bottom and dares to proclaim that there should be no bottom at all, he is the one who drinks down the joys that perish not. And in the beautiful language of Mr. Ernest Crosby of New York city, death will not be able to find the men in question, those who live and breathe and work for the uplifting of the whole race, for the extermination of all injustice, for the assertion of all truth and all righteousness on earth, for the full manhood of all men on the face of the planet.

What do we read in the prayer of all prayers? "Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." When shall we stop praying those words with our lips alone? When shall we let our acts correspond to the prayers of our lips? When shall we cease being satisfied with our own personal goodness, respectability, piety, etc., and try to be the righteous citizens of a righteous nation? JOSE GROS.

Morristown, N. J.

No Help From Courts.

It should not be possible for a corporation, after refusing to submit to arbitration a difference with its employees, to call upon the government to sustain it against the consequences of its refusal.—Boston Post.

LABOR AND CIVIL SERVICE.

Professor Bemis Expresses Himself on the Controversy In Chicago.

The sudden opposition of many trades union officials of Chicago to our civil service law is both astonishing and pitiable. It may be that the civil service examinations are not of a sufficiently practical character, or that the system of marking the examination papers is very faulty, although these charges are yet to be proved. From what has thus far been revealed, however, it would appear that the questions for each line of work are prepared by practical workmen in that occupation and cover only points which every good workman should know.

The action of Mayor Harrison in taking out from under the protection of the civil service law all heads of departments and many heads of subdepartments would seem to be as great a concession to the opponents of civil service reform as they should expect. If there are abuses in the questions asked or the system of marking the results or of appointing on the supposed basis of these examinations, surely the fuller the discussion and criticism the better. It may even be practicable to introduce other evidence of fitness aside from the results of an examination, but our labor leaders are taking an altogether different attitude and one equally injurious to labor and to the public weal when they attack the civil service reform principle.

The issue is as plain as daylight. If there is any one thing that the mass of the wageworkers of Chicago need, it is along the following lines: (1) Public ownership and operation of gas works, electric lights, telephones and street railways, whereby the charges may be greatly reduced, city revenues increased and the hours of labor and the general situation of the employees improved; (2) the entire displacement of contract labor on public works by laborers working directly for the city, whereby the work may be better and more cheaply done and the employees treated in every way better, and (3) a vast increase in the honesty and efficiency of the city and state governments in collecting and spending the public revenue and in supervising the public sanitation, factory, store and workshop labor and those many other duties which the modern municipal city and state must increasingly assume.

Now all of these things imperatively demand an entire destruction of the spoils system and the appointment and retention of employees on the basis of merit only, as is the case today in Great Britain. Nothing is more pleasing, from a selfish point of view, to such monopolists as lately robbed Chicago of tens of millions of dollars at Springfield than such an attitude toward the civil service as our labor leaders are assuming, for nothing will prove so strong an argument against city ownership of our local monopolies and against other phases of public activity just mentioned as the destruction of our civil service reform law.

The only possible explanation of the action of these leaders of labor would seem to be that, while pretending to be fighting the battle of organized labor, they are really seeking their own personal advantage at the expense of the public welfare, in order through the destruction of the entire reform law to secure more picklings at the city hall.

It is hard, however, to believe this of all the labor leaders reported as opposed to the principle of civil service reform in Chicago. Will not the more thoughtful and honorable of these pause in their suicidal policy and refrain from striking a deadly blow at the true interests of the thousands they represent?—Edward W. Bemis in Chicago Record.

Labor and the Militia.

General orders issued by Adjutant General Irish, with reference to the annual encampment of Michigan state troops this year, have stirred up the labor organizations to a great extent in several sections of the state.

The feature of the orders which has caused so much adverse comment among the members of labor unions is that which relates to street formation and riot firing. General Irish informs the troops in this connection that while the chances are that they may never be called into active service in the field, they are liable at any time to be called out to suppress riots. This, he says, is why the state maintains the troops. In commenting on this part of the general orders a prominent labor leader of the state said:

"Organized labor has long been of the opinion that the soldiers were maintained simply to oppose them in times of strikes and labor troubles, and now it appears that this opinion was well founded. The agitation to prevent trades unionists from joining the state militia should be renewed until every union debars its members from joining. My union forbids any of its members joining the state troops, and within a few months we have rejected several applicants because they belonged to the militia. We once believed that the soldiers were maintained for the purpose of protecting the country in case of the invasion of a foreign foe, but our minds have been disabused of that idea. Now we know that they are merely kept to harass struggling workingmen in times of trouble, and we govern ourselves accordingly."—Lansing Special.

Iron Molders In Good Condition.

The quarterly report of R. H. Metcalf, financier of the Iron Molders' international union, has been sent out to the subordinate unions. The report makes a very favorable showing of the sick benefit and relief fund, adopted about 18 months ago. During that period benefits have been paid out to sick and injured members aggregating $60,000, leaving on hand in the fund at present the handsome sum of $10,080. Excess of receipts over disbursements during the past quarter has been $3,078.03.

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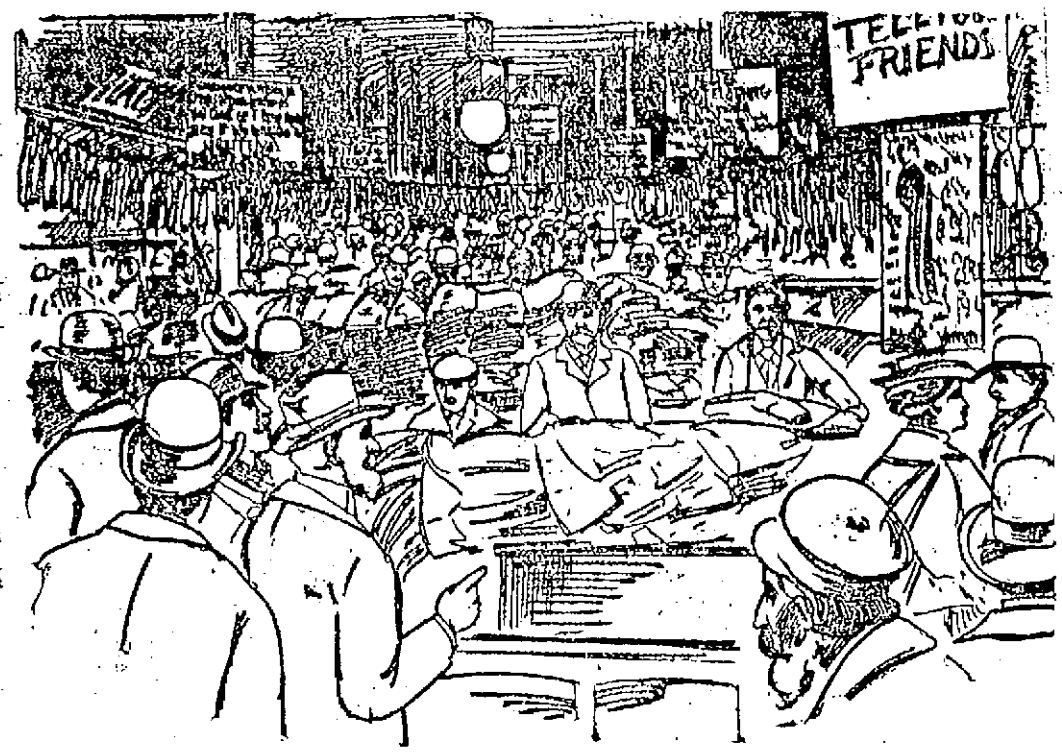

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750 Men's genuine Wanskuck Black Clay Worsted Suits, 18-oz. strictly all-wool Cutaways, Sacks, Slims and Stouts. Cost Mr. Hartford $18.50. Sale price $5.98

300 Men's Latest Fall Style, strictly all-wool Suits in brown, gray, drab and rough blue mixtures, all sizes; cost Mr. Hartfor $23.50. Sale price..... $7.80

260 Men's Extra Fine and extra well made, strictly all-wool Suits in all the latest styles, plaids, stripes and mixtures, all sizes. Regular wholesale price $24.00. Sale Price..... $8.90

250 Men's Latest Fall Style, highest grade, strictly all-wool Suits, lined and trimmed throughout with the very best material, plain and skeleton backs, bound with silk and satin, all sizes, guaranteed value $26.50. Sale Price..... $9.80

160 Men's Latest fall Style, strictly all-wool Oswego Black Clay Worsted Suits in Cutaways and Sacks, all sizes; guaranteed value $23.00. Sale price... $11.80

=:= Fall =:= Overcoats. =:=

Men's Latest Spring Overcoats in black, slate and oxford mixed, strictly all-wool, all sizes, guaranteed value $10. Sale Price..... $3.98

Men's handsomely made and trimmed latest style covert Cloth fall Overcoats, strictly all-wool, made with lapped seams suitable for dress guaranteed value $18.50 Sale price $7.98

HATS.

600 Men's Stiff Hats in Dunlap, Knox, Youman and Lamson & Hubbard's latest shapes and Shades, all sizes, guaranteed value $3.50. Sale price... $1.25

180 Men's Alpine latest style soft Brown Hats, best of trimmings, all sizes; guaranteed value $1.25. Sale Price..... 49c

Children's = Suits.

600 Children's strictly all-wool medium weight Suits, latest fall styles in plaids and checks, all sizes; guaranteed value $3.50. Sale Price..... 98c

350 Children's latest style Fall Suits strictly all-wool, in twenty different shades, checks, stripes and plaids guaranteed value, $4.00. Sale Price..... $1.79

Men's = Pants.

280 Pairs Men's neat gray and brown striped half-lined pants, all sizes; guaranteed value $1.75. Sale Price..... 98c

590 Pair of Men's latest fall style, all-wool black Cheviot Pants, all sizes, guaranteed value $3.00. Sale Price..... $1.24

500 Pairs Men's latest fall style fancy worsted pants, in all shades and pretty stripes, all sizes Guaranteed value $4.00. Sale Price..... $1.98

800 Pairs Men's latest Fall Style Dress Pants, in plaids, stripes and checks, worsteds and fancy cassimeres, from all the most famous pantaloon makers in the country, all sizes. Guaranteed value $6.50. Sale Price..... $2.98

Miscellaneous.

THOUSANDS of All Wool Knee Pants, ages 4 to 16, worth $1.50 per pair, all marked 14c
Lots of Cheaper ones at 7c per pair.

All the $1 Underwear marked down to 19c each. All the 50c, 75c and $1 Neckwear marked 5, 10 and 15c each. Less than one-third the real value.

If you want to buy Overalls and Jumpers now's your chance, prices are all split in two. All kinds of Fancy Shirts, Working Shirts and White Shirts marked 10, 20 and 30c up, worth three times as much. Hundreds of Umbrellas, Canes, Suspenders, Sweaters, Collars and Cuffs at prices almost rediculous they are so low. Everything must be sold at once, no matter how low it sells for.

SPOT CASH BUYERS AND SELLERS OF MANUFACTURERS STOCKS

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MANUFACTURERS OUTLET COMPANY

CLOTHING SHOES AND HATS

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KINGS OF LOW PRICES

Great Sacrifice Sale at Less than 50c on the Dollar of Entire Stock of The D. H. Hartford, 18 Central St., Lowell, Sale takes place at

The T. D. Hartford' Old Store, 18 Central St., Lowell.

Remember the Choicest Goods Go First.
50 Extra Salesman Wanted.
Store Open Every Evening Until 9.30.

TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1897,

With instructions to collect in the matter prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth, and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of the Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1897, until the same shall be paid, and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any taxable inhabitant, by removal his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1897 IS $17.40 ON $100.

Office Hours: From 8 o'clock a. m. to 5 p. m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 4 to 16 inclusive, 7 to 9 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from Oct. 18 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1897, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

Coffee COFFEE GOOD PURE COFFEE

20c. POUND.

This is not our best grade, but is a bargain at the price.

F. M. BARNEY & CO.
Grocers, Bakers, Meat and Provision Dealers
413 MIDDLESEX STREET.
26 THORNDIKE STREET
Tel 144-4 Wannalt Bank Block.

THE FARRAGUT HOUSE
Henry W. Garrity, Prop.
CENTRAL STREET, LOWELL, MASS.
OPPOSITE OLD B. AND M. DEPOT.
The house is now under a new management, thoroughly refitted and refurnished with all the modern improvements, steam heat and electric call bells in each room. Electric cars pass the door every few minutes. Choice cigars in sample room. Special rates to the Profession.
M. H. Carey. { Clerks } H. Gervais.

LOWELL
Textile School
President, A. G. CUMNOCK,

EVENING CLASSES

Arrangements have been made for the following classes to be held:
Cotton Picking, Carding and Spinning.
Wool Sorting, Picking, Carding and Spinning.
Worsted Combing, Drawing and Spinning.
Warp Preparation, Weaving and Fixing Plain and Dobby Looms.
Designing, Cloth Construction, Textile Calculations and Practical Work on Cloth Dissections and on Hand Looms.
General Chemistry.
Dyeing and Textile Chemistry.
Art as applied to Textile, Freehand and Geometrical Drawing, Sketching for Jacquard Cloth and Textile Decoration.
The Director will be pleased to advise candidates as to the best course to take, and to give an opportunity for consultation on this and other points will be present at the school on Monday and Tuesday, September 13 and 14, from 10 a. m. to 12 m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m., also on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 11th.
Evening Classes commence Oct. 11th, '97
Applications must be filed before Sept. 14.

DAY CLASSES
Full particulars of Day Classes may be had on application, also of the Day Art Department and Day Women's Department.
C. P. BROOKS, Director.

$29.50 WILL BUY

The prettiest and best Bicycle ever made. These machines are fully high grade, easy running, light and durable. **Our Price for the Same Wheels Early in the Season Was $85.00.** We need the room for sewing machine trade.

If you are looking for a bargain it will pay you to come early.

RIDING LESSONS FREE.

RING'S Big Store
221-223-225-227-229 Dutton St.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 45	6 55	6 00	§7 07
6 26	7 40	6 23	7 51
6 43	7 53	6 40	§7 32
§7 05	8 02	7 56	9 10
*§7 20	8 10	*8 30	§9 10
*§7 25	8 15	*9 00	§9 35
§7 33	8 50	9 15	§10 25
*7 45	8 37	*9 30	10 07
§7 50	8 55	10 00	11 16
*8 00	8 47	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 35	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 40	12 00	§12 50
11 00	12 01	*1 00	§1 34
§11 42	12 25	*1 15	1 57
§12 16	1 05	2 00	3 01
1 40	2 55	*3 00	§3 40
3 00	4 25	3 47	5 03
*§3 47	4 30	4 11	§5 32
§4 01	4 45	4 47	6 55
4 25	5 39	*5 00	6 47
§5 22	6 15	5 35	6 35
5 44	7 10	5 47	6 57
*§6 22	7 05	6 14	7 30
*§7 49	8 33	*7 30	§8 08
§6 49	9 42	*8 00	§8 39
		10 15	11 27
		11 20	12 20

Sunday Trains.

§7 20	8 10	2 15	§3 05
§7 28	8 15	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 57
§9 19	10 10	5 00	§5 50
§4 28	5 30	7 34	§8 15
§5 65	7 00	8 00	§8 38
		9 00	10 05

Western Division

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 09	7 30	8 33
8 15	9 16	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 32	10 25	11 46
10 53	12 02	11 50	1 05
12 05	1 25	2 15	3 19
12 43	1 58	3 40	4 55
2 30	3 41	4 25	5 45
2 53	4 02	5 01	6 20
4 05	5 20	6 04	7 13
6 10	6 42	6 35	7 45
6 15	7 25	9 40	10 37
7 00	8 10	11 15 ‖	12 15
9 25	10 30		

Sunday Trains.

8 15	9 27	8 00	9 17
12 05	1 26	11 45	12 55
4 15	6 25	5 00	6 25
5 30	6 50	8 40	9 40
6 45	8 36		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

‖ Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS.

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Allan, Anchor, Warren, French, German, and Italian steamship lines to or from Boston, New York, Liverpool, and Queenstown. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England, Scotland, and all parts of the world. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton st.

Big Size Preserving Kettles.

Enamled ware, they are just what you want at this season; one with a pound of 50-cent tea while they last. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 65 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central st.

Dennis J. Murphy, Attorney-at-Law, Rooms 53-54 Central Block, Central St.

Banjo, guitar and mandolin lessons. W. E. Stratton, 14 Hildreth building.

John J. O'Connor, Attorney-at-Law, Rooms 53-54 Central Block, Central St.

There is talk that many changes will be made in the corps of evening school teachers.

Lost—A St Bernard pup, about ten months old. Last seen on Middlesex street. Reward at 321 Market street.

Do you want grain of the crop of '96? W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, will sell you some.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Roarke & Sullivan have opened a new office at Fiske & Spaulding's old stand, 223 Central street. Leave your orders for coal there.

The Rochester Fair, management has likewise succeeded in securing Captain Dodd's crack troop, F, U. S. cavalry of New Hampshire as an attraction. There could be no better drawing card.

NEWSBOYS, ATTENTION!

To the boys selling the largest number of papers at my agency between September 15th and December 15th, I shall give the folowing prizes: To the boy selling the largest number of papers, a silver watch; to the boy selling the next largest number a nickle plated pair of skates; and to the third a cap and pair of gloves. This contest is open to all boys who may find it convenient to take their papers at my agency. Now is the time to HUSTLE. —Mrs. Roberts. Lawrence street.

THE BILL WAS PAID.

At last the city treasurer has paid Riley Brothers their bill of $2800 for the plumbing job at the police station. Marshal Bailey opposed the bill and caused so much opposition to its payment that it was necesary to have Inspector Garrity of Lowell visit the police station and make an estimate of the value of the work done. His report was in direct contradiction of the charges made by Marshal Bailey that the bill was excessive. The job was completed seven months ago, but they have only just received the money due them.—Lawrence Register.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES.

The democrats of Lowell are hereby requested to meet in caucus in their respective districts, and on Wednesday, September 15, at 7.30 p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state, councillor county and senatorial and representative conventions of 1897. The basis of representation has been fixed at one delegate at large for each city and town, and each ward of a city and one additional delegate for each one hundred votes or a majority fractional part thereof cast in the year 1896 for the electors for the democratic candidate for president. The basis of representation will be the same for delegates to the councillor, county, senatorial, and representative conventions.

The caucuses will be held as follows, and are entitled to the following delegates:

Ward 1—Jackson Hall, five delegates.

Ward 2—Green School, eight delegates.

Ward 3—Branch Street Engine House three delegates.

Ward 4—Lyon Street School, eight delegates.

Ward 5—Boston & Maine Depot, eight delegates.

Ward 6—Engine House on Sixth St., five delegates.

Ward 7—Engine House on Fletcher St., five delegates.

Ward 8—Highland school house on Pine St., three delegates.

Ward 9—Engine House, High St., five delegates.

The chairman of the ward committee in said wards is hereby designated to call ward caucuses to order and preside until a chairman is chosen.

These caucuses will be held in accordance with Chapter 489 of the Acts of 1895 or acts in amendment thereto.

—J. Joseph Hennessy, Chairman of Democratic City Committee.

—T. H. Muldoon, Secretary of the Democratic City Committee.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Wendell H. Ordway Well Known in Lowell.

FELL FROM A TRAIN NEAR TORONTO.

Ran the Bijou With Al. Haynes.

Word was received yesterday of the accidental death in Toronto, Saturday, of Wendell Howard Ordway, well known in the theatrical profession in this city, and well liked by his many friends, both in and out of the profession.

Details as to the cause of his death are meager, but it is understood that a sudden shock caused a fall from a moving train, the wheels of which passed over his body. He lived but a short time after the accident.

Mr. Ordway was born in Stratham, N. H., 37 years ago, and had been connected with theatrical and amusement enterprises in various capacities since he was 18. His easy flow of language and ready acquisition of facts and incidents, and the facility with which he imparted information made him specially valuable as a lecturer in shows where introductions are needed and he was never at a loss for an engagement.

His first engagement was in Boston, where a model of the famous Strasburg clock was on exhibition, his share being the delivery of the descriptive lecture. He was with Barnum in that showman's venture in London, and on his return from England secured an engagement as lecturer at the old Nickleodeon, on Court street, Boston, then just starting. When that place of amusement was made into a theatre, he was for a time the assistant manager, leaving, however, for a better situation in the West. Boston next saw him last winter as lecturer at the Zoo, where thousands listened with interest to his explanation of the many attractions.

This summer he has been west with Ferara's Noah's Ark, a trained animal show, and at the time of his death he was on his way to take a position with Al. Haynes in his Fall River amusement enterprise.

Mr. Ordway's genial, whole-souled temperament won him many friends, and his death will be sincerely mourned He leaves a wife, quite well known on the vaudeville stage as Phyllis Ruffell. Mr. Ordway was here on the South common with Noah's Ark, as lecturer.

PUGILIST IN JUG

HELD FOR KNOCKING OUT HIS COACHMAN--SUED FOR $2000 DAMAGES.

New York, Sept. 14.—There was no kinetoscope there to fix the battle on the imperishable film, but Robert Fitzsimmons caught another man on the solar plexus on Saturday and subsequent proceedings interested him—the other man—no more for half an hour.

Now he is chasing the pugilist with a warrant of arrest. The other man was Howard J. Paterson, who has for six weeks been the prize fighter's coachman in Rye, Westchester County. Robert Beck, who has been visiting Fitzsimmons, intended to return to this city by the 12.25 train on Saturday. So his host ordered the coachman to hitch up the $2000 trotters and convey him and his guest to the railway station.

Alas, the trotters never trotted so fast, but when they arrived at the station, the 12.25 train was two minutes on its way to New York. For this Paterson was discharged and when he demanded his money, Fitzsimmons hit him in the solar plexus, which knocked Paterson out for half an hour.

Yesterday, on Paterson's complaint, Judge Clery of Rye issued a warrant for Fitzsimmons' arrest on the charge of assault in the third degree. Two constables who were charged with the service of the warrant, returned without the champion, reporting that he "could not be found."

He was arrested this morning at New York and has been sued for $2000 damages.

May Make Trouble With the Women.

The city council of Zurich, Switzerland, recently ordered that there be posted in every street car on the municipal lines the following notice: "Women have the first right to the seats in the interior of this car." Heretofore when a man has offered his seat to a woman it has been regarded by her as an insulting familiarity, and it is predicted by the Swiss and German newspapers that the attempt to enforce this ordinance will encounter obstacles from the women themselves.

Sixty and Seventy-four.

Isaac Selover, 71 years old, a widower and a wealthy farmer of Spottswood, N. J., and Miss Mary Phillips, a spinster, 60 years old, have just been married. Selover lived with his son, a married man, 40 years old, but it is said that he and his son did not agree, so he thought he would get married again, and Miss Phillips agreed to become his wife. His children were opposed to the marriage, but Selover insisted that he knew his own business.

That Spot...

First size of a dime; next size of a dollar; then big as the palm of your hand. The end: entire baldness. Stop it.

Ayer's Hair Vigor Makes Hair Grow

PERSONAL.

Charles H. Loring of this city has been granted an increase of pension.

Misses Cora L. and Myra J. Reed have just returned from a nine weeks' trip to Richford, Vt., and Canada.

Mr. Christopher Hagan of Warren street left yesterday to resume his studies at St. John's college, Fordham, N. Y.

Miss Kelly of Kingston, N. Y., who has been visiting Lowell friends for the past six weeks will return to her home today.

Miss Ethel Neale of Phillips stret, one of Lowell's promising young elocutionists, assisted at several entertainments given at Hampton beach, where she has been spending a vacation.

Mr. W. H. Day a well-known vocalist of Laconia, N. H., is the guest of his uncle, Mr. J. Avison Baker, at the home of the latter on South Loring street.

Rev. Fr. Reynolds and Rev Fr. McKory have returned to Lowell after assisting at the retreat at Tewksbury.

Miss Emily Gulline of Dover, N. H., daughter of James Gulline, formerly of the Merrimack Print Works, has been visiting Miss Helen F. Short, Sixth street. She returns home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hanford have returned from a six weeks' vacation spent at the Green Mountains. Mr. Hanford spent the first of the summer visiting friends in England.

Mr. Frank Cummings, who has been in the employ of the Narragansett Machine Co., of Providence, for some time, is spending his vacation at the home of his parents on South Highland street.

Dr. E. H. Packer returned home from his vacation yesterday.

John J. Graham and Arthur Hassett left yesterday for Worcester to resume their studies at Holy Cross college.

Rev. Frs. Michael O'Brien and R. S. Burke of St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. McManus of St. Peter's church, and Rev. William O'Brien of St. Michael's church, went to Randolph yesterday to visit Rev. D. J. Gleason, who was appointed there recently. Fr. Gleason was in Lowell last week and expressed himself as well satisfied with his new pastorate.

Miss Abbie M. Smith and Mrs. M. E. Dudley left yesterday for New York, to look up fall styles in millinery.

John J. McHugh, William Finnick, John O'Hearn, and Frank McNamara, students at St. John's seminary, Brighton, have returned to pursue their course.

Miss Kate Mulhearn of Haverhill spent the last few days with friends in this city.

John Meehan has returned to St. Bonaventure's seminary, Alleghany, N. Y.

Edward F. Saunders has returned to resume his studies at Mt. St. Mary's seminary, Emmitsburg, Md.

T. A. Bertrand of Worcester is visiting here.

A party of twenty young ladies will enjoy a sail up the river to Harmony grove tomorrow night. The party will be under the management of Thomas H. Muldoon, Dr. J. E. Leary, and F. A. M. Tobin.

TWO BIG PALMS.

They Will Spread Their Huge Branches In the Pension Office.

The United States pension office is to have the largest palm ever grown under artificial conditions. There are now two mammoth palms in the Botanical gardens. These growths of the south have been placed in the hothouse at the gardens having the highest roof, but so high have they grown that it has become necessary constantly to trim them at the top.

They have attained a height of 40 feet, with trunks about a foot in diameter. Their beauty has been largely destroyed by the necessity of constant trimming. The officials of the pension office have since the incoming of the present administration sought to secure a tropical growth about the fountain in the great court of the pension office, and, learning of these mammoth palms, have taken means to secure them if possible.

They will doubtless succeed, as the trees will be destroyed if not removed from the Botanical gardens. One or both will be planted at the side of the fountain, where they will have room to tower up 100 feet or more and to spread their foliage without hindrance. It is believed that within a few years they will become one of the great sights of the capital, for nowhere else are such plants grown in captivity to such proportions, and there are few places where they could attain the size which can be permitted in the court of the pension office. —Exchange.

NAVAL VETERANS

THE RESOLUTIONS OFFERED BY JUDGE-ADVOCATE CHARLES COWLEY.

At the recent annual convention of the National Association of Naval Veterans, at Buffalo, it is reported that Judge-Advocate-General Charles Cowley, of Lowell, Mass., offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this convention heartily approves of the project of the late Major-General William B. Hazen, to establish and maintain on Castle Pinckney Island, in Charlestown Harbor, S. C., a sanitarium for the benefit of disabled officers and men, both regulars and volunteers, of the army and navy of the United States.

Whereas Surgeon-General James Rufus Tyron of the United States navy has caused a suitable obelisk to be erected at Fort Moultrie, on Sullivan's Island, S. C., over the remains of the officers and men of the U. S. S. Patapsco, who perished near that fort, January 15, 1865, when that historic vessel was sunk by a Confederate torpedo; and whereas Captain F. V. Abbot, of the U. S. army and Commander M. R. S. Mackenzie of the U. S. navy have in their several respective capacities been instrumental in causing said obelisk to be erected; therefore,

Resolved, That the thanks of the National Association of the Naval Veterans be tendered to Surgeon-General James R. Tyron, Captain F. V. Abbot, and Commander M. R. S. Mackenzie, for all that they have done in memory of the lost officers and men of the U. S. S. Patapsco.

FUNERAL

MARSHALL—The funeral of Daniel Marshall of Pelham, N. H., took place from his late home at 1 o'clock, Rev. Augustus Berry officiating. The singing was by Mrs. William Dudley, Miss Ethel Webster, Mr. Wm. G. Butler, and Mrs. Wm. P. Butler. Burial was at North Pelham.

Daniel Marshall died at his home in North Pelham on Saturday morning, after a brief illness. He was well advanced in life, having celebrated the 60th anniversary of his marriage several years ago. Mr. Marshall was the only son of the late Isaac Marshall. He was born in Pelham, Nov. 19, 1816. Jan. 9, 1838, he was united in marriage with Hannah J. Campbell, who survives him. He was a prosperous farmer, and a member of the Congregational church, beloved by a wide circle of friends. He leaves three sons, Isaac C. of Pelham, William C. and Moses R. of Laconia, and one daughter, Mrs. Louise Bell of Lowell.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

The American Benevolent association held a meeting in Union hall last night and entertained a few friends of the order from Lawrence.

The United Order of Independent Odd Ladies held their regular meeting last evening and initiated one candidate. The social circle in connection with the order will meet this afternoon and evening with Mrs. A. H. Schoolcraft and Mrs. J. H. Colburn, 45 and 46 Bowditch street.

Court Middlesex, No. 28, F. of A., had the first exemplification, last night, of the new ritual adopted at the recent session of the Grand Court in Denver. District Deputy McPadden was present and there was one initiation under the new ritual.

Concord Lodge, Fraternal Helpers, held their regular semi-monthly meeting last evening in Post 120 Hall, doing only routine business. The degree staff drilled for a short time. A committee was appointed to prepare for social entertainments for their members once a month. Messr. Allen, Ross, Needham, and Mesdames Dailey and McLeod were named.

Thistle lodge, I.O.G.T., had an entertainment last night, at which the following program was rendered: Piano selections, W. A. Barrington; song, Michael Gorman; song, Margaret Dobson; song, Jennie Atkinson; reading, Mrs. J. Kane, reading, Miss Malloy; reading, Joseph Bickford; dialogue, Margaret and David Dobson. Games were enjoyed during the remainder of the evening.

General Fiske lodge, Good Templars, had an important meeting last night and entertained guests from other local lodges. H. C. Flanders presented the lodge a biography of Clinton B. Fiske.

POLICE COURT--FRYE, J.

Judge Frye presided over the court this morning.

The case of Patrick J. Hallinan, whom, it is alleged set a fire in the rear of Dickson Bros.,' tea store, was called first and was continued until next Thursday.

There were 13 drunks. Six first offenders were fined $1.

Annie Connors, charged with a third offense of drunkenness was sent to the workhouse for four months.

Minnie Kennedy pleaded not guilty of drunkenness through her counsel, E. D. McVey, Esq.

Officer Fitzpatrick testified that the Kennedy woman was arrested from a house on Lakeview avenue this morning.

"How drunk was she ?" asked Lawyer McVey.

"She was stiff drunk, abusively drunk, staggering drunk," said Officer Fitz.

"Was she intellectually drunk?" inquired Lawyer McVey.

"Oh, she was drunk all through, a total drunk," answered the witness.

Later when they were talking about the house Lawyer McVey said: "What right had you to take her out of that house?"

"She had no right in there," said the officer.

"Yes, she did," answered the lawyer. "She was invited and you weren't."

"I don't doubt that," said the redoubtable "Fitzy," whom a Gatling gun wouldn't rattle. "All the bums are invited there."

Lieutenant Broanan and Officer Swan also testified that the defendant was drunk, but she denied the charge. Lawyer McVey made a lengthy argument upon the illegality of the officer's act in taking the woman from a house without a warrant.

A Precocious Colored Boy.

J. R. Thompson, a negro boy, 11 years of age, living near Savoyard, Ky., has already mastered the common school rudiments of his scholastic education and is away up in algebra, geometry, astronomy, calculus and the higher branches. He is said to be a lightning calculator and a marvel in many respects.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure

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CRISP GOSSIP

"We are thorry to thay," explained the editor of the Skedunk Weekly News, that our compothing room wath entered lath night by thome unknown thcoundrel, who stole every 'eth' in the ethablithment and thucceeded in making hith ethcape undetected.

"It hath been impothible, of courth, to procure a new thupply of etheth in time for thith ithue, and we are thuth compelled to go to preth in a thituation moth embarrathing and dithrething, but we can thee no other courth to purthue than to make the betht thing ger we can, to get along without the mithing letter and we therefore print 'The Newth' on time, regardleth of the loth we have thuthtained.

"The motive of the mithcreant doubtleth wath revenge for thome thuppothed inthult.

"It thhall never be thaid that petty thpite of any thmall-thouled villain hath dithabled 'The Newth,' and if thith meet the eye of the detethable rathcal we beg to athure him that he under-ethtimatethe the rethourceth of a firth-clath newthpaper when he thinkth he can cripple it hopelethly by breaking into the alphabet. We take occathion to thay to him furthermore that before next Thurthday we thall have three timeth ath many etheth ath he thole.

"We have reathon to thuthpect that we know the cowardly thkunk and if he ith ever theen prowling about thith ethtablithment again, by day or by night, nothing will give uth more thatithfaction than to thoot hith hide full of holeth."—Boston Transcript

Bargains in all departments is the keynote of J. L. Chalifoux's ad. today. His windows are filled with novelties of the season marked at popular prices.

It is expected that a large number of young ladies will take the examination for applicants for positions as evening school teachers next Saturday.

Next Sunday will be the quarterly communion day for the members of the Y.M.C.I. and the Holy Name society of the Immaculate Conception church.

One to five applications of Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of itching piles there ever was. Can you ford to torture when a simple, never failing remedy is at hand. It never fails.

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Money Making Mood

You can't do better than to come where Real Bargains rule in all departments.

Bargains in Ladies' Shoes.
Bargains in Misses' Shoes.
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Bargains in Men's Shoes.
Bargains in Boys' Shoes.
Bargains in Men's Clothing.
Bargains in Boys' Clothing.
Bargains in Men's and Boys' Hats.
Bargains in Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods.

REMEMBER

Since the passage of the Dingley Tariff Bill all kinds of Merchandise have advanced from 15 to 50 per cent, and that having anticipated the coming rise of prices early in the summer, we contracted for our Lowell and Birmingham stores more than $300,000 worth of desirable merchandise at old prices—although these goods have now advanced considerably we will sell them at our usual small advance above our cost price and thereby save our customers nearly $100,000.

J. L. Chalifoux

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Boarding and Lodging House

on one of the main streets for sale or will exchange for a cottage in city.

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A CHANCE SELDOM OFFERED IN LOWELL.

Stock and Fixtures of one of the Most Attractive Shoe Stores in Lowell For Sale.

Well established business; fine location; reasonable rent; great corner for shoe repairing and a grand opening for the right man. Apply at Sun Office if you are interested.

PLEASE bear in mind the fact that the "best," or the "standard," in all lines commands a fair price. See list of the brands of Pure White Lead which are the standard. They are the best. Avoid those brands said to be "just as good," offered for "less money," and of "so called White Lead."

SALEM LEAD CO. 100 WARRANTED PURE. SALEM, MASS.

FREE By using National Lead Co.'s Pure White Lead Tinting Colors, any desired shade is readily obtained. Pamphlet giving valuable information and card showing samples of colors free; also cards showing pictures of twelve houses of different designs painted in various styles or combinations of shades forwarded upon application to those intending to paint.

NATIONAL LEAD CO., BOSTON BRANCH,
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COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

CENTRAL STREET.

SCHOOL BEGINS SEPTEMBER 13TH.

Our Great Special Sale of About 15,000 Dozen Hose for School Children Begins This Week.

Thursday, Sept. 9th.

This includes "Seconds," or the "Run of the Mills," which we bought for cash before there was any rise in the materials from which they are made. The slight imperfections do not in any way injure the wearing qualities, while buying and selling them as we do saves our customers just about one-half of the regular price. Children's Extra Ribbed Woolen Hose with seamless feet and merino heels and toes, the usual price 25c. a pair, our price 12½c. for any size 6 to 8½ in. The next better grade, 15c. Still better grade, 19c. Still better with double knees and soles, 25c.

Ladies' Woolen Hose, nearly every pair worth from 25c. to 50c. pair, we have marked them 12½, 15, 19 and 25c.

Gents' regular 19c. Camels Hair Half Hose in firsts, 15c., 2 for 25c.

Men's Heavy Ribbed Shakers in seconds, two pairs for 25c. Extra quality, best 25c. Ribbed Shaker Socks (seconds) 15c. pair.

All the good drives in Infant's, Children's, Misses', Boys', Men's or Ladies' Cotton Hosiery can be had from our stock at bottom prices. Don't forget our special sale on Thursday, September 9.

Still Another. 'Way back in early May we placed an order with a large maker of Men's, Women's, Boys' and Girls' **Outing Flannel Nightgowns** at about 50 per cent. below the price which they would cost us if bought today. Men's extra good Outing Flannel Night Shirts, 45c. to 99c., worth 5c. to $1.50 each. Ladies' Night Gowns, 50c. to 99c., worth 75c. to $1.50 each. Children's Flannelette Gowns from 35c. to 65c. They are now on sale. Don't miss this "special bargain."

Cook, Taylor & Co.

A. G. POLLARD & CO.

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"HOTEL WARE"

IN

WHITE CROCKERY

We are agents in Lowell for this excellent quality of Crockery for hotels and boarding houses, where crockery is necessarily handled so much that it will be broken unless of a very good kind.

HOTEL WARE is made purposely for such hard usage and is almost unbreakable. It costs very little more and is very much cheaper in the end, as you don't have to buy so often.

We keep all the dishes necessary, plates, bowls, cups and saucers, pitchers, fruit and sauce dishes, vegetable dishes, etc.

Crockery Dept.

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YELLOW FEVER

CONQUERED BY SCIENCE THROUGH DESTRUCTION OF THE BACILLUS—FULL ACCOUNT OF IT IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

PRINCE FOR IRELAND

THE DUKE OF YORK HAS MANY PALATIAL RETREATS TO SELECT FROM—A ROYAL RESIDENCE—READ ABOUT IT IN TOMORROW'S SUN.

SECOND EDITION

THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The weather predictions for the ensuing twenty-four hours are as follows: Fair tonight and Wednesday. Cooler, with north winds.

SUPERIOR COURT

Morton-Bradbury Stone Case Goes on.

SUIT TO RECOVER $1500 AND INTEREST.

The Defense Goes on Today.

The case of Morton vs. Bradbury-Stone Storage Battery company took the entire session yesterday. Mr. Morton seeks to recover $1500 which he alleges is owed him by the defendants, with interest since 1893. He testified he was engaged for one year as general manager of the defendant company at a salary of $3000, of which sum he claims there is $1500 due him. Mr. Burke raised the question, on the evidence, that the plaintiff was engaged as general manager of a company not then organized and not the Bradbury-Stone company.

Mr. Foster replied that a vote was passed to engage Mr. Morton as manager of that company until a new company was organized.

The court inquired whether the plaintiff relied upon a written contract in the form of the vote and a letter from the secretary of the company, making the proposition as to salary.

Mr. Foster replied in the affirmative and that if the court ruled that there was no written contract, he should rely upon a verbal contract.

The court so ruled and allowed an exception. Another letter from the secretary was presented, stating that Mr. Morton would be recognized as the manager of the Bradbury-Stone company until the new company was organized and that the terms would be the same as previously proposed.

The afternoon session was taken up with arguments of points raised by counsel on both sides and the case is on today. The defense will make a denial of the contract.

The case of Morton vs. Bradbury-Stone Storage Battery company, which began yesterday in the superior court, is still on trial. The cases next on the list for trial are:

Cowley vs. Williams et al.

Brown vs. Lowell, Lawrence & Haverhill Street Railway Co.

Wilson & Co., vs. McIntire.

FUNERALS.

KANE—The funeral of Patrick Kane the man who dropped dead in Lawrence, as exclusively reported in yesterday's Sun will take place from his home in Fayette street tomorrow morning.

McHUGH—The funeral of Katie McHugh took place this morning from St. Peter's church. A requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McManus. The pall-bearers were Messrs. James Reagan, William Ryan, James Cuff and Frank Cummings. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

Among the floral tributes were a large pillow, Vaughn family; spray of asters, Lizzie Vaughn; basket of lilies, Miss Watts; wreath, Mrs. Grant; pillow inscribed "Katie," from Mr. and Mrs. McHugh; cross on base, Miss Minnie Whitney.

DONAHUE—The funeral of Roger Donahue took place this morning from St. Peter's church and requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. McManus. Interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

CONNOLLY—Sarah Connolly, child of Thomas and Cynthia Connolly died yesterday at 569 Dutton street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

HARRINGTON—The funeral of Isabella Harrington occurred this morning from Undertaker O'Donnell's warerooms and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

BOWEN—The funeral of William F. Bowen took place from the residence of his parents, 199 Hildreth street, yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. G. N. Dore of the Centralville M.E. church officiated and music was furnished by a quartette. The floral tributes to the deceased were many and beautiful.

MEEHAN—Mary Meehan, wife of John Meehan, died yesterday at her residence, 3 Proctor's court, off Central street, at the age of 22 years. Mr. Meehan lost a ten-months-old child last week and will have the sympathy of a host of friends in his double affliction.

Other deaths and funerals on Page 3.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

The New Fast Steamship **CANADA** 3300 tons, sails from Boston for Queenstown and Liverpool Saturday, September 11 and Thursday, October 14.

Steerage Passage $25.50.

Make all enquiries of

J. F. O'DONNELL, Agt. Cor. Market and Worthen Sts.

DIFFERENT WAYS OF CATCHING THE BIRD.

HOWE:—"Come birdie, come and sing with me; we will be gay and happy free."
BENNETT:—"Fudge! this is the only way to get that bird."

SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK.

WANTS TO WED

A Boston Boy Disregards His Parents.

THEY ISSUE A WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST

To Prevent His Marriage to a School Girl.

Boston, Sept. 14.—Chief Inspector Watts of the Boston bureau of criminal investigation telegraphed to Kent, O., yesterday, asking the police of that place to arrest Edward F. O'Brien, 17 years of age, of 7 Sargent street Dorchester, on the authority of a warrant charging him with being a stubborn child.

He put on a false moustache and applied for a marriage license but was refused. Then he eloped with the girl and was detected in Ohio, seeking a marriage license. The Chapman girl is at present stopping at Kent, Ohio.

The brothers of Myrtle, who live at 560 Dudley street, yesterday called on Mrs. O'Brien, and told her that they had telegraphed their father to stop the marriage of Ned with Myrtle if not too late.

One of the brothers, who recently came from Ohio, said that Ned O'Brien had been corresponding with the father of Myrtle for some time, and this young man said he understood from his father that Ned was going out to Ohio to find work.

There is no assurance yet that Ned O'Brien has arrived at Kent, Ohio, or that he has seen Myrtle. Mrs. O'Brien the boy's mother, is very indignant over his disappearance and over his actions in the matter.

The escapade created a great deal of comment in the Hugh O'Brien school yesterday, and in the Highlands where the young people are known.

AN OSSIPEE TRAGEDY

WIFE OF PHYSICIAN DIES OF OPIUM POISONING.

Centre Ossipee, N. H., Sept. 13.—This vicinity has been thrown into a state of excitement by the mysterious death from opium poisoning of the wife of Dr. J. R. Hatch, a well known physician of this place, on Saturday. Her husband left her in good health and spirits and returned in a short time to find her dying.

The Burkes' minstrels had a fine rehearsal last night under the direction of James A. Murphy. The society is making preparations for the outdoor temperance meeting which will take place next Sunday.

Is an alterative and eliminative remedy, which dissolves tenacious bile, allays irritation, and removes obstruction by aiding nature and not by sudden and excessive irritation, as most cathartics do. Obtain the genuine imported article only.

GOT DIVORCE NISI

James M. Fairfield Wealthy Resident of Lawrence.

GETS DIVORCE WITH LOWELL MAN CO-RESPONDENT.

Sensational Developments in the Case.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 14.—Before Judge Bond, at the September term of court, yesterday afternoon, a decree nisi was granted James M. Fairfield, who sought to have his marital bonds with Frances A. Fairfield severed. The libellant is one of Lawrence's heaviest taxpayers and has been a resident of the city for 40 years.

A sensational incident in the case occurred in Boston last March, when men employed by Mr. Fairfield broke into apartments alleged to have been occupied by Mrs. Fairfield and the co-respondent, Benjamin Colby. The two amateur detectives were John J. O'Brien of this city and Wallace R. Dickinson of South Framingham. They were arraigned in a district court the next day, charged with destroying property.

Mr. Fairfield was the first witness at today's hearing, and testified that he married Mrs. Fairfield in 1885. They separated four years ago last February.

Mary E. Wilson of Cambridgeport testified that she was at one time employed by Mr. Colby, who was treasurer of a croquet company. She had seen Mr. Colby and Mrs. Fairfield together on several occasions.

John J. O'Brien and Wallace R. Dickinson testified to watching the couple and to breaking into apartments on Warren avenue, where they found Mr. Colby and Mrs. Fairfield.

Charles W. Eaton testified to going to Londonderry, N. H., and breaking into a room where a couple was found. This was in August last. J. J. O'Brien and John L. Williams testified that the man and woman were Mr. Colby and Mrs. Fairfield.

MILLIONAIRES MARRY

SON AND DAUGHTER OF BIG BREWERS UNITE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Ventnor Isle, Wight, Sept. 14.—Col. Gustav Pabst, son of the millionaire Milwaukee brewer, and former husband of Margaret Mather, was married this noon to Miss Hilda Lemp, daughter of a millionaire St. Louis brewer.

INQUEST BEGUN

IN THE SANTE FE RAILROAD WRECK.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Emporia, Kansas, Sept. 14.—The coroner's inquest over the bodies of the victims in the Sante Fe wreck was begun yesterday. Many witnesses were heard, but the testimony was exceedingly conflicting.

VAST OYSTER BED

IN NEW JERSEY COVERING HUNDREDS OF ACRES.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Sept. 14.—A wonderful deposit of seed oyster has been found in Great South Bay, near Sayville, N. J. The bed covers hundreds of acres and two hundred boats are now working day and night collecting them. Seventy thousands bushels of oysters have been taken from the beds the workmen make $30 per day.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Boston, Sept. 14.—Augustus H. Kimball, aged 68 years, for years a gate-tender at the Produce Exchange, committed suicide last night by inhaling gas. He stopped the doors and windows with sheets.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

HELD BY MASTER INGALLS OF BEECH STREET.

There was a large gathering of young folks at the residence of Police Officer Lindsay Ingalls, 110 Beech street, Monday evening, to join his youngest son, Jason Greenleaf Ingalls, in celebrating the anniversary of his birthday. The children gathered early in the evening, each one carrying a handsome present for their little friend, and after meeting with a hearty welcome, they all joined in the various amusements of the evening. The programme included piano solos by the Misses Gracie Commons and May Hume. Mrs. Effie Hilliard presided at the piano, rendering a number of fine selections and her little five year old daughter, Irma Hilliard, who is a very promising vocalist, delighted the company with a number of the popular songs of the day. One of the finest performances of the evening was the masterly rendition of a baritone solo, "Down Deep, Within the Cellar," by Roy Wellington Greenleaf. At 8 o'clock the company sat down to well filled tables, and a more delightful time could not be imagined. At the conclusion of the festivities they all joined in three cheers for Mrs. Ingalls, who had entertained them so handsomely.

MINERS QUIT WORK

TROOPS SENT TO THE RESCUE AND CONFLICT FEARED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 14.—Word has been received at brigade headquarters that the district where the Coxe mines are located is infested this morning with bands of marching miners. The cavalry troops have been sent to the scene. The maddened miners refused to work and three hundred struck. The prospects are that the whole district will be idle in a few days.

SABINE PASS BLOCKED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 14.—Sabine Pass, Texas, is still cut off from communication. A party of reserves from Beaumont could not get nearer than seven miles to the pass today.

At their meeting in Bay State hall last evening, the iron Moulders' Union discussed the firing upon strikers at Hazleton, though no action was taken upon the matter.

Hood's Pills

Restore full, regular action of the bowels, do not irritate or inflame, but leave all the delicate digestive organism in perfect condition. Try them 25 cents. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

LATEST

THE RAREST YET

Richest Find of Gold on Record.

THE YIELD OF $100,000 PER TON.

Cripple Creek Outrivals the Klondike Gold Fields.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Colorado Springs, Col., Sept. 14.—Col. Kervny has brought from Cripple Creek a piece of ore weighing over a hundred pounds, whose full free gold aggregated $100,000 to the ton. The ore was taken from a new field made Saturday and the find is the most sensational ever made in Cripple Creek.

NO CONCERTED ACTION

MINERS ARE WORKING AS A CLASS—PRIESTS PRESERVE ORDER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 14.—As widespread as is the strike in the Hazleton region, there has been no concerted action by the men in the different mines. All strikers are working for the same end, an increase of about ten per cent. in wages, but they go about it as separate clans. To a great extent they have been restrained from committing depredations by the priests who have strong influence.

ELECTRICS COLLIDE

AND MANY PASSENGERS WERE SERIOUSLY INJURED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Two electrics collided at full speed on a single track on Harlem avenue this morning in a dense mist. The cars were heavily loaded and many passengers were seriously injured. The motormen will die.

PEACE MEETING

AMBASSADORS CONFER TO CONSIDER GRAECO-TURKISH TREATY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Constantinople, Sept. 14.—A meeting of the ambassadors of the Powers was held yesterday, and an understanding was reached on the preliminaries of the Graeco-Turkish treaty of peace, based on the Marquis of Salisbury's proposal. Tewfik Pasha has been requested to meet the ambassadors tomorrow to resume formal negotiations for peace.

Officer Humps arrested two Greeks, one named Laueps, and the other with a name that was never intended to be spelled, for illegal assault upon a third Greek, with another jaw-splitting combination of a cognomen.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE Y. M. C. I.

Business of great importance to members will be transacted at the next regular meeting of this society, Thursday evening, Sept. 16th.

A full attendance is earnestly requested. For order, —Thos. J. Tobin, Pres.

BIG QUARRY PURCHASED.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Barre, Vt., Sept. 14.—Mackie, Hussey & Co. today purchased the Boutwell quary, the largest dark granite quarry here. This transaction, it is announced, will prevent the recently formed combination of granite quarrymen from controlling the price of rough stone, as the syndicate will now have strong opposition.

POLICE NOTES

Inspector Allen is looking for a James Kenney, on the request of a Portland, Ore., man, who writes as follows:

63 First Street,
Portland, Oregon,
Aug. 15, 1897.

The Chief of Police,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir—Will you please inform me if there is a man named James Kenney who was formerly in Co. D, 4th U. S. Cavalry and discharged in 1889 at Fort Griffin, Texas, now living in Lowell. He was by trade a spinner or weaver in a cotton mill prior to joining the service and has probably gone back to his old trade. He is about 58 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches in height, and pitted with marks of small pox. He is an old comrade of mine and I want his evidence to aid me in my application for pension. Will you kindly inquire if he is still in Lowell and if so, send me his address.

Yours truly,
James O. Rourke.

YELLOW FEVER

NEW CASES REPORTED AT OCEAN SPRINGS, MISS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Ocean Springs, Miss., Sept. 14.—The conditions here are more favorable. No doubt that Surgeon Warden has yellow fever. Three new cases reported today.

PREMIUMS FOR SMALL FEET LADIES.

Today we offer 200 pairs Ladies' Fine Vici Kid Button Boots, common sense toe and heel, smooth innersoles, flexible outsoles. Sizes 2½, 3 and 3½, D and E wide, well worth $3 at one-third price,

ONE DOLLAR A PAIR.

See them in our window today—they are cheaper than slippers at this price.

ANOTHER LOT

85 finest hand-turn Boots, common sense toe and heel, sizes 2½, 3, 3½, 4 and 4½, A wide,

One Dollar and Fifty Cents.

Make a capital house Boot, soft, flexible and easy. Come soon as possible if you want these bargains.

O'SULLIVAN BROS.,

OPP. CITY HALL.

IT WON'T

cost anything to find out what sort of clothes well dressed men will wear this fall.

It's quite possible, too, that the good clothes we sell,—those made by Rogers, Peet & Co.—may strike your fancy, meet your wants.

That they're right, we've the fashion plate to show.

Not in every shop will they ask you to compare garments with the custom tailors' plate.

Prices are modest, $15.00 to $22.00.

PUTNAM & SON,
No 166 CENTRAL STREET.

THE GRAND JURY

Of Essex County Sitting at Lawrence.

HEARS EVIDENCE OF TWO MURDER CASES.

Nearly a Score of Witnesses Examined.

Lawrence, Sept. 14.—The entire session of the grand jury yesterday was taken up in hearing evidence in two alleged murder cases.

The first considered is that in which Robert Galvin is charged with causing the death of Robert Kydd in Haverhill, early in the summer.

Kydd was foreman in a machine shop, where Galvin had been employed. The two men had some differences previous to the day on which the deed was committed. On the latter day, Galvin went to the machine shop and was soon engaged in an altercation with Kydd.

Finally Galvin is alleged to have whipped out a revolver and discharged the weapon at Kydd. The shot struck a fatal part and the victim soon died. Galvin escaped from the building, but was arrested soon afterward. He has spent the summer at the jail in this city.

Eleven witnesses were heard, the forenoon being taken up with their evidence.

Lynnfield furnishes the other alleged murder case.

July last the building in which John Gullo, an Italian, lived was burned to the ground and the next day the bones of Gullo were found in the ashes. Robbery was ascribed as the motive of the deed, as the Italian had been known to have several gold pieces in his possession, as well as about $175 in other specie.

Suspicions were directed toward one Alfred McWilliams, alias Williams, and when his room was searched, gold pieces tallying with those which Gullo was known to have were found beneath the carpet.

Atty-Gen. Knowlton was present while the evidence was being presented in this case and he will probably take part in the trial of the case, should an indictment be found against the accused.

Nearly a score of witnesses had been summoned in this case.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Tonight both branches of the city council will meet.

There is considerable business to be transacted. The committe on municipal expenditure will recommend that money be borrowed to build a stable for the health department horses.

Money Deposited

On or before Saturday Oct. 2, at 9 p. m., in the Savings Department of the

Traders' National Bank.

Will draw interest from October 1st, at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, compound semi annually.

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30 Middlesex Street, 11 Post Office Avenue.

Chas. J. Gilfoden, President. William P. Hills, Cashier.

$7 TO $15

GOOD ORGANS for above prices. Call at once. Must have the room.

GEORGE A. GARDNER,
20 Prescott Street.

LOST—TUESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 14, a ladies' pocketbook. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning to 270 Wilder street.

SOMETHING YOU WANT. A HARD WOOD WASH BENCH given away with 1 pound of our 50c. tea. O'Brien Bros., Tea Dealers 177 E. Merrimack street. Telephone 69-2.

TIMELY ILLUSTRATIONS.

GENERAL LONGSTREET'S BRIDE.

Mrs. James Longstreet, the young wife of the noted Confederate general, was Miss Lilou Dortch. General Longstreet is 76 years old, his wife is 22. She has edited two weekly newspapers and has been assistant state librarian of Georgia.

PRESIDENT IGNACIO ANDRADE.

The new president of Venezuela is a brother of Venezuela's brainy Minister in Washington. President Andrade lived in this country for some time and is a popular and talented statesman.

GENERAL BARTOLOME MASSO.

General Masso, the new president of the Cuban Republic, is a veteran of the ten years war, during which he became a major general. When the martyred Marti gave the word for the beginning of the present war, Masso was among the first at the front.

GENERAL SIR BLONDIN BLOOD.

General Blood, commander of the British army on the Afghan frontier, is familiar with the character of the bellicose Afghans with whom he has to deal. He took part in the Afghan war of 1879-1880, and was awarded a gold medal for his services.

HEAVY TAX BILLS

List of Those Who are Over $500 as Submitted.

FRED AYER STANDS AT THE HEAD.

A Remarkable Jump Over Last Year.

The list of the heavy tax payers was given out yesterday by the assessors, but the Sun was prevented from publishing it because of lack of space. Below are the amounts paid by those whose tax is $500 or more:

The highest individual tax figure is that of Frederick Ayer, $7525, which does not include the assessment of the J. C. Ayer estate, $10,865. The Merrimack Manufacturing company, as usual, leads the corporations, with a tax of $48,708.

WARD ONE.

George L. Cady, $1285; Cook, Taylor, & Co., $1121; William O. Fiske estate, $1134; Warren Fox, $1140; Amos B. French estate, $549; Edward T. Goward, $587; George F. Hill, $815; Henry C Howe, $1395; H. C. & J. F. Howe estate, $1755; John F. Howe estate, $1379; Boutwell Bros., $550; Edward and Michael J. Cahill, $595; Charles B. Coburn & Co., $550; Coffey Bros., $762; James J. and John H. Coffey, $1821; Oblate Fathers' society, $1135; O'Donnell & Gilbride, $2353; Samuel G. Parker, $787; Arthur G. Pollard & Co., $1224; Urban Hall proprietors, $893 John Boyle, $792; Ellen C. Kane, $506; Dartmouth College trustees, $3199; Arthur H. Hosford, $1532; H. H. Hunnewell, $1124; Samuel W. Keyser, $2363; Francis W. Kittredge, $663; Warren Sherburne, $1718; Birexa C. Southwick, $3500; George P. White, $517; W. H. P. Wright estate, $615; Sarah W. Whitman and Charles Wyman, $3104; Joshua Bennett heirs, $2181.

WARD TWO.

Charles B. Coburn estate, $1735; Patrick Keyes, Jr., $604; Mrs. Margaret Doyle, $503; Francis C. Plunkett, $751; John Ayer estate, $518; Susanna Wyman, $973.

WARD THREE.

Charles H. Allen, $1368; A. L. Brooks & Co., $796; Davis & Burnham, $1105; Thomas H. Elliott, $2136; William H. Parker & Sons, $749; Amasa Pratt & Co., $718; Arthur Staples, $537; William H. Wiggin, $398; Davis & Sargent, $3215; Josiah Gates, children of, $1891; Samuel Horn, $1038; James W. Bennett $1598; Emma C. Carll, $594; John J. Donovan, $1609; Charles J. Glidden, $2180; John F. Manahan, $513; Emanuel J. Medina, $556; Harriet G. Nichols, $783; James F. O'Donnell, $783; George N. Osgood, $793; Francis Perkins, $617; Pevey Bros., $507; Stephen B. Puffer, $1213; William F. Shepard, $731; Mrs. Sidney Spalding, $1181; Henry L. Tibbetts, $803.

WARD FOUR.

Walter H. Bagshaw, $671; Gilman G. Cook, $526; Michael Corbett, $1222; J. B. French estate, $510; C. I. Hood & Co., $2187; James H. McDermott, $1273; Miss E. Cora Webber, $575; George Runels, $5561; Greenwood Bros., $1067; United States Bunting Co., $1022; Mrs. Caroline George, $511.

WARD FIVE.

Annie E. and Lizzie A. Clemence, $832; Fay Brothers & Hosford, $1783; Hosea B. Hill, $683; Thomas F. Hoban, $562; Dennis Murphy, $570; William Nichols heirs and E. D. Fletcher, $760; Putnam & Son, $711; James J. McCarty, $572; William B. Spalding, $575; Mrs. Tappan Wentworth, $573; Samuel N. Wood, $657; Andrew C. Wheelock, $7060.

WARD SIX.

Thomas F. Fay, $1620; George W. Flint, $592; John R. Harrington, $718; Mrs. Dollie H. Parker, $1920; J. M. G. Parker estate, $1421; Ruth M. and Bertha M. Rugg, $526; L. R. J. and D. H. Varnum, $1242; Albert Viles, $901; Prentiss Webster, $789; Newton J. Wier, $873; Daniel Gore, $3369; John M. Richardson, $1471; Edward P. Woods, $601; Woods, Sherwood & Co., $510; Jacques Boisvert, $614; Seth B. Hall, $677; Rowena H. Read, $710; Seth Gage, $1168; Merrimack Woollen Mills, $520.

WARD SEVEN.

Frederick Ayer, $7525; James C. Ayer, estate, $10,865; Patrick Dempsey, $2508; William H. I. Hayes, $1394; David L. Hill, $654; Daniel S. Kimball estate, $950; Gilman Kimball estate, $591; Mrs. Sarah Kitson estate, $1461; Sewall G. Mack, $1078; Joseph Marin, $1325; Jacob Rogers, $1152; Cyrus K. Russell, $699; Sabra Wright, $631; Charles H. Allen, $710; Jerelah Clark, $1049; Alonzo A. Coburn, $690; Patrick Cummiskey estate, $612; Laura C. Gerrish estate, $874; George W. Harris, $1345; George L. Huntoon, $1181; Daniel Lovejoy & Son, $878; John Lennon, $1375; Patrick Lynch, $577; Daniel J. Murphy, $1653; Percy Parker, $755; Wm. H. Parker, $839; Amasa Pratt, $850; Patrick J. Riley, $632; Earl A. Thissell, $510; Phineas Whiting, $1165; Carney & Covell, $835 Ira M. Chase, $1125; Emery, Peabody & Richardson, $536; Henry Emery estate, $4602; Patrick Teague, $774; Thomas J. Underwood, $511; Thomas Varnum, $732; Alphonso S. Covell, $714.

WARD EIGHT.

Henry M. Bacon, $690; Robert G. Bartlett, $1942; Eliza Bascom estate, $576; William H. Bent, $1521; Josiah Butler estate, $803; Joseph L. Chalifoux, $3057; Stillman Clough, $585; Joseph A. Coram, $2572; Solomon K. Dexter, $1203; Joseph Evans estate, $555; George W. Fifield, $1214; Alfred G. Horne, $657; William A. Ingham, $2340; Francis Jewett estate, $1675; William E. Livingston, $2335; Lewis Montferrand, $510; Albert Nichols, $813; Pickering Knitting Co., $939; Matthew C. Pratt estate, $533; Orrin B. Ranlett, $751; Robert Simpson, $667; Ethan A. Smith, $1552; Jesse Smith heirs, $1212; Robert H. Staples, $664; Edwin C. Swift, $3976; Nellie L. Wheeler, $591; Charles W. Wilder, $1553; Alphonse Bibeault, $695; George F. Penniman, $1704; Sarah B. Richardson, $765; Michael Roark, $995; Mrs. Valentine Wilson, $1002; Haworth & Watson, $539; Albert E. Osgood, $693. George F. Parsons, $647; William Manning, $1144.

WARD NINE.

William H. Anderson, $1753; Harry Dunlap, $687; De Witt C. Farrington, $878; James K. Fellows, $2297; Mrs. Mary A. Felton, $781; Robert D. Holt, $774; Charles I. Hood, $2636; Esther J. Hylan, $516; Walter H. McDaniels, $5177; George Motley, $640; John Nesmith estate, $2644; Thomas Nesmith, $865; Fannie M. Reed, $899; Annie L. Richmond, $768; Jacob Robbins estate, $1036; Charles G. Saunders, $529; Horace B. Shattuck, $3929; Freeman B. Shedd, $4015; Maria T. Stevens' heirs, $11,019; Daniel Swan, $2125; Charles P. Talbot estate, $509; Julian Talbot, $681; Albert G. Thompson, $1266; Arthur F. Bonney estate, $1881; Francis Brown, $824; Edward N. Burke $699; Benjamin F. Butler estate, $1181; Paul Butler, $586; Thomas Carolin estate, $937; Edward Cawley, $630; Horace B. Coburn et als., $532; Thomas Costello, $1072; Alexander G. Cummock, $723; John C. Irish, $644; Frank J. Ladd, $1282; Aaron Mansur heirs, $1768; George A. Marden, $691; James E. and Mary Nesmith, $565; James E. and Mary Nesmith et als., $845; John W. Read, $550; Arthur G. Pollard, $1792; Addison Putnam, $637; Daniel S. Richardson estate, $582; George F. Richardson, $1427; George F. Richardson and A. G. Pollard, $1880; Miss Elizabeth Rogers, $500; Shepard, Russell & Fuller $830; E. A. Smith et als., $3746; Levi Sprague, $541; Charles Stott estate, $659; Albion C. Taylor, $561; White Bros., & Co., $4870; William H. White, $737; Patrick Farrell, $597; James Meadowcroft estate, $1644; United States Cartridge Co., $1240; United States Bunting Co., $800.

CORPORATIONS.

American Bobbin Spool & Shuttle Co., $637; American Bolt Co., $769; American Card Clothing Co., $1084; Appleton Co., $10,715; Appleton National Bank (real estate), $2610; Belvidere Woollen Manf. Co., $3179; Bon Marche Dry Goods Co., $1339; Hoott Cotton mills, $24,722; Boston & Maine R. R. Co., $7150; Consumers' Brewing Co., ner mills, $2312; Fifield Tool Co., $1458; $1923; Courier-Citizen Co., $678; Faulk-Hamilton Manf. Co., $33,476; Howe Lumber Co., $581; J. C. Ayer Co., $727; Kitson Machine Co., $1818; Lamson Consolidated Store Service Co., $2052; Lawrence Manf. Co., $19,831; Locks & Canals, $9606; Lowell Bleachery Co., $5723; Lowell Electric Light corporation, $3696; Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank, $981; Lowell Gaslight Co., $17,756; Lowell Hosiery Co., $1201; Lowell Land Co., $676; Lowell Machine shop, $16,312; Lowell Manf. Co., $28,312; Lowell & Suburban Street Railway Co., $6265; Massachusetts Cotton mills, $28,633; Massachusetts Mohair Plush Co., $957; Mechanics' Savings Bank, $1003; Merchants' National Bank, $765; Merrimack Manufacturing Co., $48,708; Middlesex Co., $11,618; Middlesex Odd Fellows' Building Association, $1783; Middlesex Safe Deposit & Trust Co., $774; Nashua & Lowell R. R. corporation, $1981; New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., $1782; Odd Fellows' hall, $957; Prescott National Bank, $532; Railroad National Bank, $935; Shaw Stocking Co., $3965; South Congregational Meeting House, $1740; Stirling Mills, $1592; Traders' National Bank, $879; Tremont & Suffolk Mills $38,238; Wamesit Power Co., $3827; Whittier Cotton Mills, $1171; Wamesit National Bank, $522.

NATIONAL BANKS.

Appleton, $3759; First, $6307; Merchants' $9117; Old Lowell, $4141; Prescott, $5651; Railroad, $7864; Traders' $1357; Wamesit, $5040; total, $44,274.

DIVIDE TOWN.

At a town meeting held in Tewksbury last evening it was unanimously voted to adopt and accept the precincts as laid out by the selectmen, the acts of 1893 which authorized the selectmen to lay out precincts, having been previously accepted.

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CURRENT COMMENT

Lawrence Sun—The terrible affair in which a large number of striking miners were ruthlessly slaughtered on Friday has horrified the entire nation, and one reads the sickening account of the unwarranted action of the sheriff and stands aghast at the horrible results. All information which has been received and even the official's own story, lead the people to judge that the shooting was no more or less than murder, which was precipitated by a man who had not the courage to perform his duty otherwise.

Boston Globe—Judged by mere numbers, the mayoralty election in New York, will be the most important to be held this year, for the proposed Greater New York will engage nearly one-thirtieth of the whole number of electors in the country, the city having a larger population than 41 of the 45 states of the Union.

But it will be essentially a local election. The attempt to wring the currency issue into it is little less than amusing. To say that the prosperity of the nation hinges upon it, and that the course of national politics will be largely shaped by it in the future is more than ridiculous.

Springfield Republican—One of the West Virginia judges has now carried government by injunction to the point of enjoining the pastor of the Methodist church at Fairmount from holding Sunday services and week-day prayer meetings in the strikers' camps which have fallen under the court's displeasure. There are plainly not wanting foot judges enough to do something toward destroying popular respect for the judiciary as an impartial and incorruptible tribunal.

Boston Advertiser—To be sure there is no law in Massachusetts which compels bicycle riders who ride at night to carry lighted lamps, but neither is there any law which forbids them to do so. Those bicyclists who think it would be better to carry lamps are quite at liberty to follow their judgment. They can thereby secure to themselves whatever additional safety is to be secured by that means. The true object of having a lighted lamp on a bicycle is not to enable the rider to see more clearly, but it is to enable him and his machine to be more clearly seen.

Haverhill Gazette—It is becoming more and more evident that all classes of people are desirous that an absolutely safe depository for small savings be established in this country at the earliest opportunity. Tens of thousands of thrifty men and women all over the United States, whose earning power is necessarily limited, have more than once experienced the bitter disappointment which follows the disappearance of little hoards garnered only by the practice of many acts of economy, by reason of the failure of building and loan associations, savings banks, and other institutions whose managers held out tempting inducements to possible depositors. It is common fame that the suffering and despair caused by such failures have been felt in nearly every community in the land. Hopelessness and doubt have been sown broadcast by calamities such as are here described and the resulting habit of improvidence, which is rapidly becoming almost a second nature with many, cannot be checked any too quickly for the good of the entire country.

Brockton Times—President McKinley is taking a round-about way to get to Washington. But, then, he could not help going to Ohio to see the folks and incidentally saying a good word for his particular friend, Mark Hanna.

Boston Herald—The rattan in the hands of a school teacher generally leads to trouble all around, but there are occasions when it is too good for the emergency. It looks as if this was the case in Somerville.

Springfield Union—Governor Hastings seems to have broken loose from Senator Quay again. That, at least, is the only interpretation at present possible of Governor Hastings' action in appointing David Martin, the leader of the republican machine in Philadelphia to the secretaryship of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania. It will be interesting now to watch the progress of the anti-Quay fight in Pennsylvania. Judging by the recent revelations in regard to the padding of the employes' roll of the Keystone legislature and the plot to get the treasurer of the state to pay the unlawful employes, there is every justification for the overthrow of the Quay machine at the approaching state convention. Whether such a desirable result can be secured is very uncertain.

CYCLING NEWS.

A party of five Leominster racing young men entered the race at Lowell on Saturday last and they report that they were astonished at the accommodations furnished them by the local club. In the first place the track was in bad condition and three of the Leominster riders were thrown on that account, but worst of all were the training quarters. All of them were quartered under the grand stand with a loose ground for a floor and no windows for light or ventilation and no seats to rest on after the races. Metcalf made an attack on a partition and secured a board full of nails. McComiskey found a prize in one corner of an iron sink and turned upside down it made the best seat any of the party had. Another of the party was seen trying to keep his balance on a six-inch timber. The rest of them stood up after the race or sat on the ground. Two coils of barb wire were available but it proved not just the thing for a man to sit on after finishing a race. For all this deplorable account the man who furnished the above account showed us a $35 gold watch he won as the first prize in one of the races.—Leominster Enterprise.

The young men in question came here at the request of H. E. Hesselton.

If anybody has any doubt of the great growth of bicycling all he need do is look into the baggage car of a train returning from the shore and mountain resorts. Bicycling is so common now that nearly everybody who goes on a vacation takes a bicycle along, too, and that furnishes another good argument for good roads for those places which receive summer visitors.

At the Presbyterian parsonage, September 11, Mr. Ewen McKenzie and Miss Jessie Duncan were united in marriage by the Rev. Robert Court, D. D.

SIMPLE DROWNING

Medical Examiner Signs the Death Certificate.

IN THE CASE OF KATIE McHUGH.

Cause of Death is Still a Mystery.

The death of Katie McHugh, who was found floating in the Hamilton canal Sunday morning continues to be a mystery, which, though the police have made inquiries, not only remains unsolved, but it is even more intangible.

Medical Examiner Irish has now put an end to all suicide theories by signing the death certificate and attributing the cause of death to drowning, and stating that there was nothing to indicate foul play or accidental drowning, while there was nothing to warrant one in assigning suicide as the cause.

What makes the case stranger, Mr. Smith, the father of the girl whom the McHugh girl was supposed to have been staying with, denies that his daughter was in company with Miss McHugh on either Friday or Saturday evenings. He says his daughter was at home on those evenings and that she was not an intimate of Miss McHugh.

The last seen of the unfortunate girl was at 10 o'clock Friday night and her actions between that time and whenever she met her death are what the public would like to know. The canal in which she was found was well fenced, and in order to fall, she must have been either on the railroad bridge at Thorndike street or at School street or Western avenue, though all of these places would naturally be avoided by a girl, particularly at night.

She had a pleasant home at South Highland street, and loving parents, brothers and sisters. Of late she is said to have shown a tendency to despondency, but her father and family are positive that she did not commit suicide.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 11th.

William H. Emery et al. to John M. Dunfey, lot of land on New Moody street, $1.

Patrick H. Crowley, to Alfred McKarcher, lot of land on Crawford street $1.

Shepard, Russell & Fuller to Frank J. Ladd, lot of land on the Butman road, $1.

Delilah F. Turner to Alexis Ouilette et ux., lot of land on Maple avenue, $1

William Murphy to Mary A. Flanagan; land with buildings on Cosgrove street, $1600.

Laura J. Hodgman to Mary E. Fletcher, land with buildings on Fletcher street, $1.

John W. Anderson et al, to Frank E. McNabb, land with buildings on Butterfield street, $1.

James McKinley to William A. Parthenais, lot of land on Varnum avenue, $1.

Mary J. Swan to Frederick T. Walsh, lot of land on Eleventh street, $1.

Fred A. Sturtevant to Emmet E. Galer, lot of land on Gibson street, $1.

William H. Bent to W. A. Parthenais lot of land in Tyler Park, $1.

James McKinley to Joseph C. Manseau, lot of land on Ovington street, $1.

James McKinley to Charles H. Parthenais, lot of land on Varnum avenue, $1.

James McKinley to David A. Parthenais, lot of land on Anson street, $1.

Elizabeth Emerson to Lilla E. Brown, lot of land on Blossom street, $1.

TEWKSBURY.

William H. Dyke to Stephen Flynn, lot of land, $1.

WESTFORD.

Olive A. Prescott to Elizabeth Splain, lot of land at Forge Village, $1.

DRACUT.

Arthur Lyman, trustee, to L. E. Roberts, lot of land at Kenwood, $1.

CHELMSFORD.

Charles Sweetser to Charles O. A. Grover, land at South Chelmsford, $1.

Robert G. Bartlett to Winnie B. Roark, lot of land on Blackmar street, $1.

Henry S. Perham to Alice S. Long, lot of land on Evergreen street, $1.

BOWLING NEWS

It was a great total of 2598 that the Lakeviews put up last night, easily defeating the Wamesits in a finely rolled game. The score:

LAKEVIEWS.

Higgins	522
Fels	478
Gregory	520
Swift	511
Lewis	497
Totals	2528

WAMESITS

Peters	479
McCormick	438
Dunham	412
Brainard	461
Hartwell	519
Totals	2303

The Pawtuckets defeated the Merrimacks on another alley, Clogston being high with 507. The score

MERRIMACKS.

Howes	444
Burns	451
Brosnan	411
Shaw	437
Chicken	470
Totals	2253

PAWTUCKETS.

Weston	470
Patten	427
Knapp	454
Clogston	507
Fletcher	456
Totals	2314

Miss Bessie Campbell, formerly a pupil of the Lowell high school, has entered the senior class of the high school at Waterville, Me.

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NOTED CONVERTS

WELL KNOWN PEOPLE RECENTLY CONVERTED TO CATHOLICITY.

New York, Sept. 13.—A quarterly record kept by the Paulist Fathers shows an extraordinary number of conversion of prominent persons to the Roman Catholic faith in the course of the last three months. In the list are noted the following:

A daughter of Joaquin Miller, the "poet of the Sierras," who was baptized into the Catholic communion in Guelph, Ontario, where she had been a student in a convent; the late Rev. John Trever Still, vicar of the Anglican church in Kenn, Essex, Eng., who was baptized on his death bed by a Franciscan friar in July last; Miss Edith Howard-Hodges of London, a member of the Church of England, who was received into the Catholic church by the Rev. Father Galwey, S. J.; Canon Gregson, a clergyman of the Church of England, at Brisbane, New Zealand; Mrs. Thomas Atkinson; of Ryton, England; received by Canon Wrennal; the Rev. St. Leger Westall, curate of St. Saviour's church who was received into the Catholic church together with his wife and children, by the Rev. Father Bampton, S. J., and whose renunciation of the faith of his fathers created a sensation in all England; Mrs. Gwilt Jolly, wife of a well-known English artist; Lady Loder, mother of Gerald Loder, senior member of Parliament for Brighton, Eng.; the Rev. John N. L. Clarke, curate of St. John's church, Cape Colony, South Africa, and Mrs. Sarah Margaret Le Vorrier at Swindon, England.

CELEBRATED CASE

ARGUED AT GLEN FOREST YESTERDAY—MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

The bar of Lowell went against that of Lawrence and they were strangers and were taken in. Of course it is the legal profession that is referred to, and not the bar upon which so many schooners are daily and nightly stranded.

It was at base ball that the Websters and the Choates of the Valley had at it and they played several innings in the rain at Glen Forest, the Lawrence people capturing the laurel by a score of 16 to 10. The Lowell team consisted of Dan Donohoe, p; Charles Cosgrove, c; Mayor Courtney, r; W. A. Hogan, l; Dennis Murphy, m; James F. Owens, 3b; W. F. Curlin, ss; Frank C. Wright, 2b; C. L. Marren, 1b; George S. Stevens, mascot, and about 20 rooters. Saunders and Burr were the battery and they were too strong for the Lowell boys. After the game, the defeated lawyers filed a bill of exceptions and a motion for a new trial and the case will be argued at a Lowell term of the court. Then all repaired to the Essex House, where a spread was served, and after-dinner remarks went around. Most of the party returned to Lowell at 8.30.

The Elias H. Hadley estate, numbered 65 Wilder street between Pawtucket street and Broadway, to be cut up into building lots and sold without limit to the highest bidders. Six elegant lots. Fine location. One of the best residential sections. Commencing promptly at 4.30 tomorrow afternoon, rain or shine I shall sell without limit or reserve to the parties making the highest bids, one of the pleasantest situated estates upon which to establish respectable and comfortable homes of medium value there is in Lowell. The property lying as it does, between Wilder and Rolfe streets, the Phineas Stanley estate on one side, the Daniel Crowley estate on the other side, land of A. A. Coburn back of it, the magnificent estate of Colonel Allen within 250 feet, Broadway electric cars within two minutes' walk; Pawtucket street electric cars within four minutes' walk. The land is high, level, and dry; the lots splendid size and excellent shape; the street has all modern advantages and conveniences. What more can be desired by families in moderate circumstances. The premises are divided and will be sold as follows: Lot 1—House of nine rooms; stable with plenty of room for three horses and as many carriages; lot of 6000 square feet of land, with a frontage of 50 feet; the stable will have to be moved some. The lot has plenty of fruit trees and vines and is a corner lot, being at the corner of Wilder street and a new street running from Wilder street back through the premises. Lot 2—Six thousand square feet of land (another corner lot) with a frontage of 60 feet on Wilder street and 100 feet on the new street; Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6—Each has a frontage of 50 feet and an area of 3000 square feet; are on the new street running in from Wilder street or within 100 feet of the same. There are many opportunities, lots of chances, and too many temptations to buy undesirable land; but here's a genuine offer of very attractive healthy located, and unusual building lots for improvement or speculation; it will be very hard to find honest exception to all of them and best of all you're going to buy them for just what you see fit to give. The new State Normal school on Broadway in within five inutes' walk and as it will bring some two or three hundred grown people to Lowell, they've got to have homes or a place to board and this is a chance for someone to create them at a snug profit or a gilt edge investment. Plans of lots at the office of the auctioneers, where you should make all inquires. J. E. Conant & Co., Auctioneers.

—Albert F. Green.

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FUNERALS.

GARRA—The funeral of Bernard Garra took place this morning and was very largely attended. At the Immaculate Conception church, service was held at 9 o'clock. Rev. Fr Lawrence, O.M.I., was the celebrant of the requiem high mass and the choir under the direction of Prof. Haggerty sang Schmidt's requiem mass, together with several touching solos appropriate to the occasion.

At the conclusion of the service, the cortege proceeded to the Catholic cemetery, where the interment took place. The pall bearers were Messrs. Thomas Maxwell, John O'Connor, Malachi Burns, William King, Thomas Brennan and Mr. Kane. Many beautiful floral offerings were placed on the grave. They included a spray of palms, a wreath of ivy and roses, a wreath of asters, a sheaf of wheat, a wreath of cut flowers, a spray of purple asters, and a basket of flowers. The cortege that followed the remains to the grave included over thirty hacks, which indicated the esteem in which the deceased was held by his numerous friends. Rev. Fr. Reynolds officiated at the grave. The bereaved family have the deep sympathy of a wide circle of friends. Undertaker Davey had charge of the funeral.

THE PELHAM SINGERS.

The fourteenth semi-annual Pelham sing will take place at the new meeting house in Dracut Centre on Wednesday, September 29, from 9 o'clock in the morning until 4 in the afternoon. Dinner will be served by the Y.P.S.C.E. Prof. Greeley of Pelham Sing fame requests the singers to bring their music, the same as last year.

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DEATHS.

NUTE—Mrs. Abbie H. Nute, wife of Sewell H. Nute, formerly connected with the Lowell horse railroad, died Monday forenoon at Pelham, aged 68 years. She leaves, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Frank E. Wright. Mrs. Nute was an old resident of Lowell.

DUTTON—George E. Dutton, the real estate agent, auctioneer and constable, died at his home, 149 Fairmount street, Monday, aged 28 years. He had been ill for four weeks.

WIGGINVILLE.

Mr. Editor—Citizens of Wigginville met in the school Saturday night to take steps to have the Damside school closed. It was voted to send a committee of three to see the selectmen, and have the church or some other building more suitable until a new schoolhouse is built. Mr. Foster from the North also spoke on the right of the people of Wigginville in having their school located in the most convenient place and said the citizens of the North and the Centre were with them and would come to their support when needed. He also said that when the new high school was built in the Centre that there were several sites offered free; but the committee purchased a lot in the Centre at a fair price and had it accepted by the town. Mr. Farmer was also invited, but did not attend.

I would like to say through the columns of your valuable paper that the rumor afloat that I "would give fifty dollars to have the schoolhouse located in Wigginville, or that I have given any money whatever to help the Wigginville cause," is false.

—Miles M. Laffee.
South Lowell.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

The quarterly statement of the Royal Arcanum just issued by Supreme Secretary Robson, shows a membership of 191,175 in 1762 councils August 31. During June 1020 new members were admitted, in July 783, and in August 629. In August there were 119 deaths, 531 suspensions, permanent withdrawals and expulsions, and 23 reinstatements. The net gain in membership since January 1st has been 3914.

The total payments in the W. O. B. fund to Aug. 31st were $42,097,960.13.

A WONDERFUL SCENE.

Talk about getting into the push; well, the greatest push that ever was witnessed was at T. D. Hartford's store, where are found the greatest bargains in clothing ever offered in this city. We do not know how long these bargains will last, so the wise will call at once and share in the spoils. See ad. in this paper.

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Hard on the Conductors.

It seems that the street car conductors of Geneva, N. Y., are dowered with the fatal gift of beauty, and hence has arisen trouble for them. So many of them have been in the habit of talking to women on their cars that the company has issued an order against the practice. Concerning this order one of them says, "It is pretty hard for a fellow to look sour and surly at a pretty girl and to refuse to reply to her when she looks at you with a merry twinkle in her eye and politely asks a question."

At Kew gardens the rule prescribing that no visitor shall take in a hand bag or parcel larger than 7 by 5 by 4 inches turns out to be illegal.

The Kansas City Chinaman who started a bakery just as wheat reached $1 a bushel verifies the adage that John should stick to his tub.

Probably Paul Revere would have been staggered had he anticipated that Boston would one day pay $240,000 for a site for a schoolhouse to be named in his honor.

The temperance idea is making great and unexpected progress in Holland.

The dean of Canterbury has given a playmaker permission to dramatize his "Darkness and Dawn," in which Nero is the principal figure.

The London correspondent of the East Anglican Times is responsible for the statement that the archbishop of Canterbury is learning to ride a wheel.

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prevailed at our store Saturday, and it will be continued every day this week. Handling in this city the entire output of several leading American manufacturers of Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Underwear and Neckwear, we are enabled to offer some very exceptional bargains. Saturday the first gun for the season was fired and the advance sale of leaders in various lines of merchandise made many people happy. It was a great satisfaction to our customers to find goods on our counters just as advertised and displayed in our windows. Nothing "sold out," no goods "coming next week." Everything is here and backed up by a money back guarantee.

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HAZLETON LIKE A VOLCANO

Before Eruption so Feverish Was the Excitement Last Night.

Uncertainty of the Situation—Orderliness of the Funeral Processions a Marked Feature.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 14.—Hazleton quivered last night on the edge of a volcano. Uncertainty was the key-note of the situation, and the town sleeplessly awaited the dawn of a day fraught with unknown and fearful possibilities. Troops were sent to the mines of Coxe Bros. at Eckley, which nestles in a valley about 18 miles from here. Telegrams to brigade headquarters in the afternoon indicated an alarming condition there.

The remoteness of the situation made difficult the securing of definite news from the scene. The first knowledge of disturbance at the Coxe collieries reached brigade headquarters yesterday morning, when General Gobin received a dispatch that 200 miners at Buck Mountain, three miles from Eckley, had gone on strike and began to march on the Eckley mine. Request was made for a detachment of the military to avert possible conflict, but before the soldiers could be started off to the scene the authorities were reassured by the receipt of a second telegram to the effect that the march had been stopped and no further trouble was feared.

In the afternoon a third dispatch changed the situation for the worse. It said the march had been resumed and carried to the Eckley mines, and that the men there had been forced to quit work after rough handling by the marching men. The city troop of Philadelphia, the crack cavalrymen, were instantly ordered to proceed to Eckley. To reach the spot they had to ride over 18 miles of mountain roads. The news has created consternation throughout the district, and all the collieries are preparing for trouble.

General Gobin has been deluged with requests for troops, but declares that he will send none to any point unless an outbreak really occurs. This is a measure of precaution to keep the soldiers mobilized. The mine superintendents are much worried. They accept the lesson offered by the havoc wrought at Gomer Jones' home the other night, and two have asked the brigade commander to place guards around their houses, which will be done.

There is a sensational story afloat concerning a conversation overheard on the streets of Hazleton, but it should be accepted with a reservation. The story goes that a group of miners was standing on a corner, when one was heard to remark: "I've got the material, but I don't know how to mix the damn stuff. If I did I'd blow them up tonight." It is said that the guards were placed about the superintendents' houses as a result of this.

Somebody stole a march on the general, and although he revoked the clause excluding music, there were men in line wearing the uniform of the Italian army, and carrying drawn sabres. Six of the latter stood in front of the church during the ceremonies within. Learning of this, the commander promptly dispatched a staff officer and a detail of men to the cemetery, but when they reached there the services were over and the mourners had dispersed.

"The priests gave me their sacred promise that no arms should be carried nor military uniforms worn," said General Gobin. "In moments when a spark might result in the wholesale loss of life and property it seems to me that such things should not be permitted. If I had the slightest idea that their promise would be broken a troop of cavalry would have been there within a few moments." The general added that he would demand an explanation from the clergymen.

As a matter of fact there was little change in the program arranged by the miners for yesterday's funerals. There were 12 in all, but two proceeded from Harwood direct to the cemetery without regard to the other 10, which united in an extensive cortege.

When the start from the shop to the cemetery was made the coffins containing the bodies of the eight Poles were carried each by 10 miners in the regalia of the St. Joseph's society, and the line proceeded to the church. A crowd of fully 5000 jammed the streets in the immediate neighborhood, but there was no disorder of any kind. The platform originally intended for the street in front of the building had been erected before the altar, and here the 10 coffins were laid, while Father Aust and a number of Polish priests celebrated high mass. In the meantime a gang of miners in the cemetery were blasting rock to make space for a large circular grave, in which all the bodies were interred. There were brief services at the grave, and several of the clergymen made addresses urging the miners to maintain order and remain quietly at their homes.

General Gobin kept his word. During all of the march and the ceremonies there was not a sign of a soldier. Brigade headquarters presented a martial appearance, however, and in the stockyards near the hotel were stationed a battery and a detachment of cavalry ready to move on call. The usual camp discipline was maintained, and no one was permitted to pass any of the lines without a pass from the commander. Mayor Allmiller had been consulted in the meantime, and at General Gobin's order or suggestion, all the saloons in town were closed until 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The mayor had been kept to his house for more than a week past by an attack of rheumatism, but the grave developments induced him to hobble to his office.

PEACEABLE DEMONSTRATIONS.

Hazleton, Sept. 14.—Yesterday was regarded as the turning point of the situation because of the prohibition issued by General Gobin against the proposed funeral demonstration. A compromise was effected, however, and the day passed off without disturbance. As a result of General Gobin's order to the Polish priests and citizens, they met him in the morning at brigade headquarters. He told them that he had no objection to the procession, but under no circumstances must there be anything about it in the nature of a military procession or a demonstration to show large numbers. They could bury their dead with all the show of mourning and no religious services of any kind would be interfered with; but they would not be permitted to carry flags, banners, side arms, or to have music in any form. Gobin was very much displeased at the parade of uniformed men during Sunday's funeral, and especially because some of the men carried heavy sabres.

All along the line of the funeral procession and in front of the church where the services were to be held and at the undertaker's establishment crowds of miners and their wives began to gather at an early hour. They came in town from all mining suburbs in the region and taxed the capacity of the trolley cars, while inside the office there was not an inch of space. The corpses of the Poles were exposed to view, and the crowd was permitted to pass in single file through the front door of the shop and out at the rear. Decomposition had set in, and the bony, waxen features presented a sight that sent every beholder out of the place with a shudder of horror.

Meanwhile preparations were under way for starting the big parade. Four bands were waiting, with the members of the St. Joseph's and Italian mutual aid societies, wearing their regalia. It was learned that the order prohibiting the bands had not reached these parties from the priests to whom the general gave it, but before it became known by them the brigade commander revoked it and gave permission for the musical accompaniment.

NOTORIOUS ANARCHIST COMING.

Paris, Sept. 14.—Louise Michel, the notorious French anarchist, is going to the United States in October. She will be accompanied by prominent English anarchists, and they will undertake a speech-making tour in America for the purpose of helping anarchist propaganda. Miss Michel believes that the prevailing labor troubles make the present time advantageous for spreading anarchical doctrines. In the meantime a fortnight's similar campaign in Belgium will be closely watched by the European police.

The state department at Washington has instructed all the ministers and consuls of the United States to promptly notify the home government of the departure of anarchists for the United States. It is understood that the authorities at Washington, through their representatives abroad, are in communication with the European police.

LANDS AND BUILDINGS

NEW SYSTEM OF HEATING CITY BUILDINGS.

A new system of heating and ventilation will probably be introduced into city hall and Memorial building. It is the Evans-Almwall Heating company's arrangement and the proposition is to put in a system of piping for hot water heating and ventilating without cost to the city and to heat the buildings in a manner satisfactory to the city for a term of six years, at a cost per annum of the amount paid to maintain the present system last year, the plant then to become the property of the city without further expense.

On motion of Councilman Dana it was voted to refer to the city council a communication bearing upon the matter, together with a resolution recommending the acceptance of the proposition.

Alderman Peirce asked what was being done about the Moody street school. Supt. Bray replied that the plans would be ready next week and that the foundation was being laid.

Mr. Peirce said that he believed that it was a mistake to let any contracts until the plans were complete, since such a policy had worked to the detriment of the city in the past. He cited school buildings that it had been necessary to rebuild in part, and said that a foundation should not be put in until the heating and ventilating system to be adopted was agreed upon.

Huntington hall then came up for consideration, though not upon any particular question. The committee still has hopes that that some individual will take the hall for $1600 a year, and allow the city the use of it for a certain number of days a year. The lease will run for 22 years yet.

Then something was said about building a house for the water tower on the land owned by the city at Paige and John streets and it was learned that the storehouse owned by the Boott mills is still standing upon it.

Daddy Kipling.

"What's that so white that walks the floor?"
said folks on parade.
"It's Daddy Rudyard Kipling," the London doctor said.
"He's the father of another boy. He wants to get to bed,
But he's walkin of the baby in the mornin!"

"What's that, what's that that squalls so loud?"
said folks on parade.
"It's little Kip with colic," the London doctor said,
"And the older Kip is painting all the furniture in red,
And he's swearin at the baby in the mornin!"
—Atlanta Constitution.

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CAUCUS NIGHT

Delegates to all Conventions Will be Elected.

NO GREAT INTEREST IN TOMORROW NIGHT'S MEETING.

City Committee Opens Its Headquartets.

Tomorrow night will mark the opening of the democratic campaign in this city. In every ward in the city, caucuses will be held for the election of delegates to the state, councillor, county, senatorial, and representative conventions.

In no ward is there anything that even resembles a contest, and accordingly there is an appearance of inactivity on the democratic side. There is no question that the interest of the local democracy is centered in the municipal fight, which completely overshadows the state contest and has absorbed whatever interest might otherwise center in the latter.

It is not probable that any of the caucuses will be very long, for most likely the choice of delegates to the several conventions will be left to a committee chosen by the voters. There is absolutely no strife for state delegates, for it is an accepted fact that whoever goes to Worcester will stand by the national platform and vote for candidates in accord with the principles of the party. So far as the county officers are concerned, anyone can have them who wants to canvass the delegates, so that there will be no one over anxious to attend that convention. Every year there are voters anxious for a seat in the senatorial convention which carries with it the right to elect a member of the state central committee. So tomorrow night there is liable to be more than a few aspirants for places in that delegation.

Last year a hot and exciting fight was precipitated for representative delegates in the 25th and 27th districts. In the latter, particularly, the fight was warm and not till the returns from the country end of the district came in was there any certainty as to the minutes. In ward two of the first named district the caucus was a big one and nearly every voter came out to express his preference. There were at least half a dozen candidates. This year only only one has declared himself and he is Henry J. Draper. Without doubt he will be given a chance to show his strength at the polls. In the 27th district, where "Joe" Donohoe made so fine a run last year, the only candidates spoken of are James McElhoile, Ex-Councilman O'Hare, and Joseph Duffy of Tewksbury. Some people are talking of Joe Donohoe, but he has not intimated that he cares to run again.

In each ward, the chairman of the ward committee will call the caucus to order and after reading the call for the meeting will ask the voters assembled to choose a presiding officer. When the executive of the ward has not been chosen, the chairman of the city committee will read the call or designate some person to perform this duty.

Notwithstanding the apparent lack of interest, the democratic voters should turn out to the caucuses and place only worthy and responsible men in the various delegations. Each ward is entitled to a delegate at large and an additional delegate for every hundred or majority fraction thereof cast for the democratic candidate for president last year.

The voters should remember that the polling places will be the same as last year. The caucuses will be held in the following places and each ward will be entitled to the number of delegates named:

Ward one, Jackson Hall, 5 delegates; ward two, Green School basement, 8 delegates; ward three, Branch Street Engine-house, 3 delegates; ward four, Lyon Street School, 8 delegates; ward five, Boston & Maine depot, 8 delegates ward six, Sixth Street Engine-house, 5 delegates; ward seven, Fletcher Street Engine-house, 5 delegates; ward eight, Highland School basement, 3 delegates; ward 9, High Street Engine-house, 5 delegates.

The democratic city committee has opened fine quarters in the Hildreth building. The old quarters in the Wentworth Block were abandoned because they were not suitable or convenient for the purposes and work of the committee. Chairman Hennessey secured the rooms occupied by the Fourth of July committee, and yesterday they were opened by Secretary Muldoon, who announced that his office hours would be from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. daily. He will reserve one of the rooms as a private office where the executive committee can meet and transact business, while the large room will be devoted to the transaction of general business.

The office is centrally located for all the wards and it is likely that a telephone will be put in.

CARRYING A REVOLVER.

Some Pointers on the Subject Furnished by a Justice.

A. S. Mason of Duluth was before Judge Edson on a recent morning, charged with carrying a concealed weapon. According to Mason's story, he was taking the weapon, a revolver, home to be cleaned. He started with it in his hand, but seeing an officer approaching he thought he had better put it in his pocket, and did so. This was just what Mason should not have done, and it proved his undoing, and the officer took him in tow. Mason was very much mortified at being arrested and was anxious to right himself in the eyes of the law.

"If you say so, judge, I'll take this here gun and throw it in the lake," he remarked to the court.

"What do you think I'd better fine you to make it even?" asked the court.

"Well, don't strike me too hard, judge; that's all I've got to say," replied the prisoner.

"Well, I'll suspend sentence this time," said the court. "In future when you have a revolver to take home carry it in your hand, wear it on your watch chain or send it home on a dray."—Duluth Herald.

More Daughters.

It is gratifying to learn that Mrs. William Gerry Slade of New York has organized a society to be known as the Daughters of 1781-1815. We have been worried for some time because there seemed to be a few years at the beginning of this century that could not boast of being the father of a single daughter, and naturally they were lonesome. On either side of them were years that had more sons and daughters than one would suppose they could support, and yet there was no one to say "papa" to a single year between the close of the war of the Revolution and the beginning of the war of 1812. Happily, thanks to Mrs. Slade, all this is at an end, and we doubt if there is now a childless year in the history of this country from 1493 to 1815.—Chicago Post.

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SLAUGHTER OF THE MINERS IN THE NAME OF THE LAW.

The shooting down of from thirty to sixty of the coal strikers at Hazelton, Pa., on Friday, was one of the worst outrages ever committed by legal authority in this country. It was simply a massacre of men who had committed no violation of the law; it was a cold-blooded murder for which Sheriff Martin and his 100 deputies should be held strictly to account. It is the natural outcome of the iniquitous inauguration of "government by injunction, which was so needlessly and outrageously used to restrain the miners at every point.

There was an injunction restraining the strikers from approaching any of the mines on the public highways; an injunction restraining them from holding public meetings in the vicinity of the mines and an injunction restraining them from speaking to the miners who remained at work. With so many restrictions upon the personal liberty of the strikers, it was wonderful that they maintained such order and such obedience to the law. So orderly was their course from the beginning of the strike that one of the judges who granted some of the injunctions, made the statement that this strike would go down in history as the most orderly that ever occurred. There were good grounds for this compliment to the conduct of the strikers, or it would never have been uttered. But the operators of the mines seemed in this case not to be satisfied with imposing ordinary restrictions upon the strikers; they wished them to be bound by every possible measure and injunction, which the judicial tyrants are empowered to issue. Then when the strikers were goaded almost to frenzy by these unwarranted restraints upon their personal liberty, the operators appealed to the authorities to guard against any infringement of the judicial edicts issued by the courts and made every preparation to resist with deadly force the slightest attempt at violence either to person or property.

Is it any wonder that Sheriff Martin with his 100 deputies gathered from the streets without any particular regard to their character or qualification, should embrace the first opportunity of making an onslaught upon the inoffensive and defenceless miners.

He had heard through rumor that a considerable number of strikers were to march across a hill to Latimer for the purpose of influencing the miners there to join the strike. That rumor might have been true, or it might have been false. Had the miners been permitted to carry out their project, it is quite probable that the worst they would have done would be to hold some kind of a demonstration in the vicinity. They were not armed, they were not prepared to offer violence much less to resist attack. Had Sheriff Martin performed his duty as a sheriff might be expected to do, he would have followed the strikers or have surrounded the Latimer mines in order that no harm could be done by the approaching strikers. He would have at least awaited the first overt act in violation of law before opening fire upon the miners, but this he did not do. He intercepted the men upon the public highway without knowing what their intentions were and before any act of violence had been committed. He peremptorily ordered a halt, read the riot act and commanded the crowd to return. It seems that he grappled with one of the leaders and that the other strikers gathered around, probably to see what the trouble was. Sheriff Martin became excited, called upon his deputies for assistance and a moment later gave the order to fire. Then three deadly volleys felled from thirty to sixty men to the ground, most of whom are now dead, while others are sure to die from the effects of their wounds. Could any attack be more unwarranted, more cold-blooded or unprovoked than this deadly onslaught upon the miners? It is stated that the sheriff and his deputies will be proceeded against on the charge of murder, but the men who were so ready to massacre defenceless miners will have no hesitation in swearing that they were in danger of being killed and had to fire in self-defence.

The sheriff and his deputies may be exonerated, but this outrage will not be forgotten and it has already roused the toiling masses throughout the country, because they know not when such an outrage may be repeated in case of a strike. Let the miners now stand firm; the toilers throughout the country will come to their aid and furnish money to support them as long as the operators see fit to hold out. This strike should and must be won; this outrage must be made the last application of government by injunction. Perhaps these inoffensive miners will not have died in vain if their death shall bring about a proper limitation of judicial tyranny, an end of government by injunction, and a proper restriction of the use of firearms in the hands of dissolute cowards and scamps pressed into service as sheriff's deputies.

THE ARENA OF POLITICS

THE DINGLEY DEFICIT.

Receipts More Than $13,000,000 Behind Expenditures In a Single Month.

The receipts of the United States treasury on Aug. 21 were $623,966 and the expenditures $797,000, making a deficit for the day of $173,104, says the Cincinnati Enquirer. The deficit for the month is $13,293,755, and for the fiscal year to date $24,372,300. How is this, under the operation of a tariff law that has been extensively exploited and bragged about as a measure to restore prosperity to the country by securing enough revenue to pay the expense of the government? In the first month under the new bill the treasury runs behind over $13,000,000.

What a puny and contemptible performance has been that of the present administration and congress so far! There was a persistent attempt to humbug the people with the claim that the hard times were due to the fact that the public revenues were less than the expenditures. There was much lofty ringing of the changes on the proposition that everything would be wrong till the government was run on "business principles," till it was run on the business idea of making both ends meet. So Mr. McKinley called congress together to "even up" things. No attempt was made to do this by cutting down extravagant expenditures. The appropriations were kept at the top notch, though the people by the stress of the times were obliged to curtail in everything but their taxes.

The whole scheme was a humbug, though the pitiful politicians who are now in charge of the public establishment, and who probably think they are statesmen, may look upon their work profoundly. The government is not a business establishment. There is comparatively little resemblance between the public and private business affairs. The government has no income, properly speaking. It earns no money. It is merely supported by the people, and it is the duty of the people's agents to make the burden of that support as light as possible. If the treasury runs behind in any given year, the people are good for the deficit. There is no panic, no distrust. The shortage is sure to be made good.

However, on the theory that the government is "in business" and that it must be considered in the light of a private citizen engaged in trade, what a stupendous failure has been the administration effort! Thirteen millions of dollars behind in a single month! We trust for the sake of the peace of mind of President McKinley that he does not read the newspapers during his gay summer outing and that the military band will play Wagnerian music when anybody attempts to tell him about the distressed condition of the treasury. Indeed this new law resembles the old McKinley law. It was under that delectable measure that the receipts of the treasury began to run behind the expenses.

A REPUBLICAN ON TRUSTS.

He Views With Alarm the Growing Influence of Combinations of Capital.

All readers of The News are aware that we seldom find cause to approve of the public acts and utterances of Republican leaders, while we are accustomed to use the utmost forbearance toward Democrats whose conduct may not strictly accord with the just and upright principles of their party in some particular, says the New York News in a recent editorial. In other words, charity toward friends and frank hostility toward opponents is the rule. Probably The News has never said a good word for Hon. Benjamin H. Butterworth, now commissioner of patents, throughout all his public career, and probably, too, it never spoke otherwise than kindly of Hon. Roswell P. Flower, until his diatribe against our principles and party lately filled us as well as all the world with disapproval. But men, after all, are of secondary import, while principles are vital, and the answer Butterworth makes to Flower at least deserves quotation in our Democratic columns, since it comes nearer to our idea of popular rights and principles than does the speech of the man whom we helped to make the governor of this state.

Mr. Butterworth, according to one of our contemporaries, said, after reading Governor Flower's remarks:

I do not need any one's opinion on the benefit of trusts. Any one who has spent a season in Washington, as I have done this past year and for many seasons before, cannot but look with horror upon the growing influence of these mighty combinations and aggregations of capital.

Everybody knows how congress was simply held up by the trusts during the last session.

It came to be that the representatives of these great combinations merely said, "You shall do this, and you shall not do that," and it was done or not done, as they commanded.

The claim made nowadays is that there should be war because war will necessitate the issuing of bonds, and there have been some recent instances when this sentiment very nearly predominated. I am opposed and bitterly opposed to all this sort of talk. Shall we create war to make a market for bonds? Shall we sacrifice human life that some one may cut coupons payable in the blood of our children and our children's children?

What shall be said, too, when it comes to pass that one man in your city of New York can fix the price of anthracite coal for the Atlantic seaboard? I do not know whether I am differently constituted from other men or not, but my blood boils when I contemplate the growing power of corporate wealth over the legislation of this country.

Work of the Coal Trust.

There is every reason to credit the report that the great coal strike was deliberately caused by the operators. They knew the price of coal would be raised by the Dingley tariff, so they required some effective means of reducing the surplus coal in the market and cancelling contracts for delivery at old prices. There is nothing too infamous for the Hanna-Hobart-Morgan Coal trust.

Republican Prosperity.

Low wages for the working people and bigger profits for the trusts—that is what the Republicans mean by prosperity.

AT NEW ORLEANS

The Soldiers Will be Allowed to Leave.

GOING TO MILITARY PARK TEMPORARILY.

Reports of the Yellow Fever Cases.

Washington, Sept. 14.—A telegram was received at the war department yesterday from the department of the East stating that six cases of yellow fever were reported in New Orleans, and that the commanding officer at Jackson barracks had requested permission to remove the garrison of that post to Fort McPherson, Atlanta. The department officials deemed it inexpedient to send these troops to Fort McPherson, and orders were issued that the two batteries of artillery go into camp at the Chickamauga and Chattanooga national military park. There has been no case of fever at Jackson barracks, but it was considered advisable to remove the troops to a point where they would be beyond the danger of infection.

Later in the day the official dispatches to the surgeon general made the situation more serious. Dr. Gulteras, the government expert, reported a case of yellow fever at the city hospital at Mobile, Ala., also a suspected case, and added that he apprehended a serious outbreak. At the same time Surgeon Carter telegraphed from Ocean Springs that four cases of yellow fever existed at Berkley; that there had been eight cases known to be yellow fever, and that two exposed physicians were at Vancleave and Scranton, practically under guard.

PARTISANS OF DR. ANDREWS.

Providence, Sept. 14.—President Andrews has returned, but has nothing to say in regard to his own plans or those of the Cosmopolitan university. It is generally understood that the president will lead the chapel service at Brown on Wednesday, when college opens, and plans are on foot, on the part of the students, to give him a reception upon this occasion. The collegians are hot partisans of Dr. Andrews, and in their discussions are to be heard mutterings concerning the congressman from Worcester. If a manifestation of this feeling does not take place, it will be because the advice of cooler heads prevails.

THE SEA TRAGEDY

On the Olive Pecker Again Discussed.

FRESH EVIDENCE AGAINST THE PRISONERS HELD.

The Trial to be Held in Boston.

Boston, Sept. 14.—The first official tidings of the awful tragedy at sea on the schooner Olive Pecker, in which Captain Whitman of Rockland, Me., and First Mate Sanders were murdered, came to this city yesterday in a letter to Collector Winslow Warren of the port, inclosing a copy of the cablegram from Bahia, Brazil, transmitted to the state department by Vice Consul Brice. The cablegram read as follows:

"John Anderson, naturalized American citizen, steward of the schooner Olive Pecker, killed Captain Whitman and Mate Sanders, apparently under provocation, after which the crew, seemingly under threats of the steward, fired the vessel, leaving her in their boats 120 miles from the Brazilian coast. They drew lots to go in pairs, the steward leaving with a sailor named John Lind, a Swede, while the other four embarked in the other boats and denounced the occurrence at the first place they reached. Anderson and Lind were taken prisoners on board a Norwegian vessel at Port Bahia, and fully confessed the crime to me. All six are now prisoners in the house of correction, and I await an American war vessel to send them to the states, as ordinary steamers are unable or unwilling to take the men. The behavior of the Brazilian authorities is worthy of great praise. The names of the other prisoners are Engineer William Horsbrough, an Englishman; Juan Dies Barriel Gumierrez, a Spaniard; Andrew March, an Englishman, and Martin Barstad, a Norwegian. Depositions of all the men have been taken by me and will be sent by the first steamer, together with photographs of the men."

In previous reports of the horror the name of the murderer has been variously given as Horsbrough, the engineer; Seaman Lind, and Peter Thompson, but neither of these committed the crime, for there was no man named Thompson on board the ill-fated schooner. It is quite certain that the men will be landed here, and their trial held here, not only the home port of the ill-fated craft, but the scene of the trial of the men charged with committing that other ocean horror, the Herbert Fuller murder.

STORY ABOUT BERNHARDT.

Paris, Sept. 14.—The Figaro says that Sarah Bernhardt recently had a narrow escape from death at Belle Isle-en-Mer, department of Morbihan, while endeavoring to reach the shore via the cliffs. After decending a short distance she was unable to advance or retreat. Her shrieks for help attracted the attention of a bather, who climbed up to Madame Bernhardt's side and seized her just as the boulder, to which she was clinging, broke away, and thus saved her from being crushed to death. The actress and her rescuer lost their footing, and rolled down the cliffs to the sea, where they were rescued by a passenger boat.

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After fighting half an hour, and just as he was growing weak from loss of blood, Kellogg succeeded in grasping the eagle about the neck with both hands. A short struggle followed, and the boat was overturned, throwing Kellogg into the water. But the eagle was mastered, and, although badly exhausted, Kellogg succeeded in swimming ashore with his prize. The eagle was a magnificent specimen and measured 7 feet 6 inches from tip to tip of its outstretched wings. The bird will be stuffed and mounted.—Exchange.

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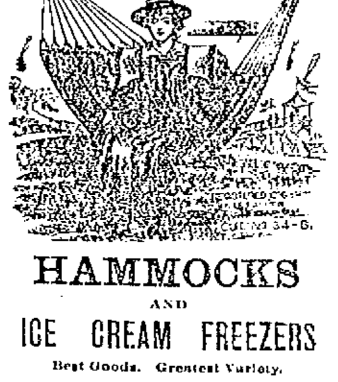

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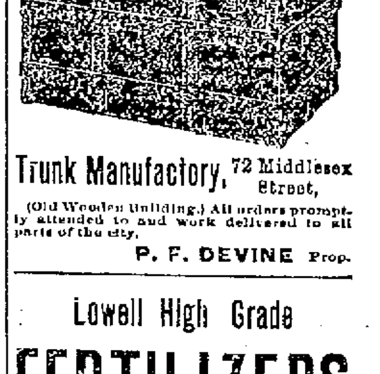

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AN EXCITING BALL GAME

The Kickers Prominent at St. Louis Game Yesterday.

Three Pirates are Suspended—American Cricketers Make a Poor Showing.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 14.—Rowdyism lost the game for the Pittsburgs yesterday. In the eighth inning the first Louisville batter up reached first on a close decision. The whole Pittsburg team kicked, and Hawley and Brodie were but out of the game. Before the inning ended Padden was ordered off the grounds for using insulting language to Kelly, and Hoffmeister was fined $25 for throwing a ball at the umpire's head. The score:

Louisville .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7—7
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Frazer and Wilson; Hawley, Hughey and Merritt.

BASEBALL VARIETY.

Straws will have to be pulled in order to settle the dispute over the New England league championship. The players of the Brockton team have gone to their respective homes, so that it will be impossible to play a game to decide the tie.

Nick Young says: "There is no player in any club in the National league today that can or will play a game of ball after his fine is due. Kill off the umpires and you kill the game. We are losing good patrons every day through the senseless kicking and wrangling on the ball field."

Duffy leads the Bostons in stick work and Kloby is first among the pitchers in games won.

Not long ago one of the Brooklyn players was called out on a close play by Hurst and when passing him at the plate said: "You're a nice duck, ain't you? Say, Tim, I know your girl in Philadelphia." "When any of my friends so forget themselves as to speak to such yellow ball players as you," promptly answered Hurst, taking out his little book and pencil, "I scratch them," and with that he erased the woman's name from his address book.

In the Washington-Cincinnati game yesterday Pitcher Mercer of the Washingtons offered the umpire a pair of spectacles and was put on the bench.

Umpire Mason called yesterday's game between Montreal and Springfield in the first half of the ninth inning after Springfield had one man on first and one man out. Springfield made a kick, but the umpire said it was too dark to play longer, and that settled it.

At Syracuse yesterday, Manager Murray of the Providence team was ejected from the grounds for talking back to Umpire O'Neill.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Washington—
Washington .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1
Cincinnati .....0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—2

Batteries—Mercer, McJames and McGuire; Rhines and Schriver.

The game scheduled for yesterday between Boston and Philadelphia was postponed on account of rain.

At New York—
Brooklyn .....1 0 2 1 1 2 1—8
New York .....2 1 0 0 3 1 1—8

Batteries—Kennedy and Burrell; Meekin, Zearfoss and Warner. Game called on account of darkness.

At Baltimore—Two games.
First.
Baltimore .....0 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 —4
Chicago .....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2

Batteries—Friend and Kittredge; Hoffer and Robinson.
Second.
Baltimore .....0 2 8 3 —11
Chicago .....3 0 1 0 0— 4

Batteries—Nops and Clarke; Griffith, Briggs and Dorcheer.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland .....1 0 0 2 3 0 0 1 —7
St. Louis .....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 4—6

Batteries—Powell and Criger; Sudhoff and Murphy.

Eastern ..*..*..*..*..*..*..*..*..*..
At Montreal—
Montreal .....2 0 0 1 2 5 0 0—10
Springfield .....0 0 3 2 1 3 0 1—10

Batteries—McFarland and McNamara; Dohan, Korwan and Duncan.

At Syracuse—
Syracuse .....0 0 1 2 2 0 0 0 —5
Providence .....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Batteries—Mainkey and Shaw; Rudderham and Coogan.

THE CROP REPORT

Weekly Review of New England Harvest.

THE CONDITIONS PREVAILING IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Various Crops Have Suffered From Posts.

Boston, Sept. 14.—The week past has given abundant sunshine, very little precipitation, and three days of summer heat; in consequence late fall, field and garden crops have advanced rapidly. Harvesting has been conducted under most favorable conditions. Such corn as had vitality enough to be benefitted has improved wonderfully, and the prospects for this crop are much more encouraging. Nearly all field crops, except corn, have now arrived at a state of maturity. A very large amount of rowen has been secured, making the amount of forage for winter fully equal to any previous year.

Maine.

Corn pushed ahead rapidly during the past week, although another 10 days of favorable weather will be required to put it out of the way of frosts, and even then some will not mature. Fall work is being rushed. As a rule grain is harvested in excellent condition. Potato digging is going on steadily. The crop is in the main, light, and with few exceptions rotting badly. Garden crops are flourishing. Scanty yield of apples. The surface of the ground is becoming dry for about the first time this season, but no harm will result.

New Hampshire.

The past week has been very favorable for corn, and an increased acreage will doubtless ripen. Some early corn has been cut, and silos are being filled. Late corn is making rapid growth, but that on wet land is poor. Rowen is nearly all secured. Rye and grass seed looking finely. Potatoes continue to rot, and the yield is far behind the average. Peaches bring good prices; apples and pears improved; grapes will fall except with an abundance of warmth; blackberries have yielded abundantly. Friday's hot sun practically ruined cranberries in Hillsborough county.

VERMONT.

Vermont.

A very good week for harvesting. Corn has done well, and one week more of good warm weather will fit most of it for cutting. In fact, some corn is already harvested. Potatoes are turning out poorly, as in other sections. Rowen is a heavy crop, and much grain has been secured in fine condition. Pastures are dying.

Massachusetts.

A large amount of corn on dry uplands will mature and some is already in the shock. Rowen is a big crop. Poor crop of apples and potatoes. Grapes are ripening unevenly. Peaches in some localities have done well. Garden vegetables plentiful. Tobacco is very uneven in curing. Cranberry picking well under way, and finished on some bogs; the crop is very light, but the fruit is in good condition generally, although badly scalded by the extreme heat last week. Land is becoming dry in southeastern sections. Streams are the lowest of the season.

Rhode Island.

Corn has matured rapidly on dry land, and is being cut, or is nearly ready for cutting; the yield will likely be small on wet land. Melon, squash and cucumber vines are dying, and light yields are reported. There is complaint of potatoes rotting in the cellars. Fall seeding in progress.

Connecticut.

Corn cutting is now quite general; prospects of late pieces maturing well. Potatoes turn out to be even poorer than expected; many farmers have not enough for family use. Peaches are so plentiful as to overstock local markets. Feed in pastures abundant. Grapes will fall short of an average crop. Apples ripening early and dropping badly. Red varieties are coloring well. Wells and streams are lower than at any time since mid July.

J. W. Smith,
Section Director.

MADE A GALLANT DEFENSE.

Simla, Sept. 14.—The insurgents, yesterday morning, captured the Sarkargarli police post. It was attacked by 1600 Orakzais. A gallant defense was made by the garrison of 21 Sikhs, who for six and a half hours sustained three furious assaults. In the third assault the Orakzais forced the doors. The garrison left the walls to expel the invaders, and the enemy was thus able to escalade the fort with the ladder. One Sikh defended the guard room, killing 70 of the foe. He was finally burned alive at his post. The signaller kept up communication until the fort fell. It is reported that he was the only Sikh who was spared. The startling news comes from Fort Lockhart that the combined bodies of the Afridis and Orakzais number 47,000 men. They are now all collected near Khan-Ki valley, and will advance on the fortifications at Samana for an attack today.

FOR FURNISHING INSTRUMENTS.

Bristol, Vt., Sept. 14.—Dr. H. S. Joslyn of this place, charged with furnishing the instrument or instruments which caused the death of Dora Cushman was given a hearing before Justice Sherwin. The state produced witnesses showing the purchase by Dr. Joslyn of a speculum and other surgical articles, and a certain kind of medicine; also that Smith Davis, accused of causing the girl's death, was seen at the doctor's house, and that the box containing the surgical instrument when sold to Joslyn was found in Davis' trunk. Two surgeons testified as to how these instruments could be used and what the effect would be, after which Dr. Joslyn was held in $500 for the December grand jury.

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SETH LOW STANDS

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SAYS HE IS A STAUNCH REPUBLICAN.

On That Platform He Will Seek Election.

New York, Sept. 14.—Seth Low says in his letter accepting the citizens' nomination for the mayoralty: "I am a Republican, and I expect to remain one, but I am completely in sympathy with the purposes of the Citizens' union to secure a mayor for the great city who shall be free from all partisan obligations. Such a mayor, if elected, I shall certainly be. In making appointments, it shall be my endeavor to fill every place with an eye singly to the public good. The patronage of the city shall not be used, so far as it is in the mayor's power to prevent it, for the purpose of either strengthening or weakening one party or another, or any faction of a party. I shall try to make an administration that will be honest, broad-minded, efficient and businesslike, and considerate of the interests of every citizen.

"The civil service laws of the state shall be impartially enforced by such methods as will insure a practicable and reasonable test of fitness and the selection of subordinate officers upon their merits, irrespective of political influences, so as to afford a fair chance to every citizen without regard to race, religious belief or political affiliation. It shall be my endeavor to build up in all parts of the public service a spirit of honest pride, based upon the well settled conviction on the part of every person in the city's employ that, so long as his services are needed and he renders them faithfully and well, no influence in the city shall be able to turn him, but the moment he fails in his duty, no influence shall be strong enough to keep him in.

"Nothing is more vital to the welfare of the city, as I can see it, than it be allowed by the legislature to shape its own destinies in all matters that are purely local. I would wish the great city to bear its part proudly in all that concerns the Empire State, but as concerns the city's local affairs, it is not so much a part of the state as it is the home of its inhabitants. If I am elected, I shall contend steadily for the city's right, in such matters, to govern itself."

GOSSIP OVER A WOMAN'S DEATH.

Centre Ossipee, N. H., Sept. 14.—The death from opium poisoning, apparently, of Mrs. J. R. Hatch, wife of Dr. J. R. Hatch, on Saturday night, has awakened great interest here, as it remains to be determined if her death was an act of suicide. An autopsy was held by Coroner Lougee, and it is not yet completed, the jury being excused until the viscera of the dead woman is examined by experts. The autopsy thus far shows that all the organs were normal.

Dr. Hatch says that when he left the house Saturday evening his wife was all right. On his return he found her lying unconscious on the bed, fully dressed, with an empty laudanum bottle by her side. He at once used the stomach pump, but failing to obtain relief for the woman, he sent for another physician, who did not arrive in time to save Mrs. Hatch.

The neighbors, who had seen that Mrs. Hatch was all right apparently earlier in the day, were greatly surprised at the death, and as there had been stories of domestic troubles in the Hatch family they sought and obtained an investigation. Dr. Hatch was not detained, and while the autopsy will determine the cause of death the suicide theory seems the only plausible one.

FULL AGREEMENT POSSIBLE.

London, Sept. 14.—The morning papers contain dispatches from Constantinople intimating that all the ambassadors are now in receipt of instructions enabling them to come to a full agreement on the basis of Lord Salisbury's proposals for the constitution of an international commission representing the six powers to assume control of the revenues with which Greece will guarantee the payment of interest to the holders of old bonds, as well as payment of the indemnity loan. Tewfik Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, has renewed his protest on behalf of Turkey at the "needless delay in arriving at a settlement." According to authoritative reports the treaty of peace may now be signed at any moment.

GRANT NOT A CANDIDATE.

New York, Sept. 14.—Hugh J. Grant said yesterday: "I am not and will not be a candidate for mayor of Greater New York. The report that my father-in-law, Senator Murphy, is trying to get the nomination for me is false. I have not had a talk with Senator Murphy on the subject. If I want the nomination I shall ask for it."

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TOWN SWEPT BY TORNADO

Texas Suffers Much From the Terrific Visitation.

The Wires Down and Details are Meagre—Six Persons Killed in One Place.

Port Arthur, Tex., Sept. 14.—A tornado, terrible in its velocity, struck this little town at an early hour Sunday night, and six people are known to have been killed, while many others were injured.

The dead—Frank Albright, Kansas City, employed by Electric Light company; George Martin, bricklayer, residence unknown; unknown man, aged 36; May Ainsworth, 13 years of age, daughter of William Ainsworth; infant son of W. H. Johnson, blown from its mother's arms and drowned; Fritz Michaels, laborer, residence unknown.

The injured are Mrs. Roy Stafford, right leg broken near hip; Roy Stafford, legs badly bruised; little daughter of Stafford, seriously injured.

Many buildings were blown down, including the railroad roundhouse, where May Ainsworth was killed.

From early morning the sky was threatening and a stiff gale blew. No rain of consequence fell until 4 p. m., and then it was accompanied by a wind that increased in intensity until it reached the velocity of 80 miles an hour.

Advices from Swinnie say that nearly all the houses there have been blown down and torn away.

At Webb, all of the barns and one house were demolished and scattered over the country.

Nothing can be heard from Sabine pass, as all telegraphic communication has been interrupted. A relief train left Beaumont last night for Port Arthur and Sabine pass. It is known that much destruction was wrought at Sabine pass, with probable loss of life. Everything possible is being done to establish communication with the place.

The following telegram was received from Beaumont at a late hour: "The relief train has just returned from Sabine pass. It is reported that the new town is completely gone. Nothing heard from the old town. From reports things look bad there."

FOR FIVE ROUNDS

Frank Erne and Harry Becker Contested

IN THE RING AND ERNE WAS THE VICTOR.

Thousands Changed Hands on Result.

Buffalo, Sept. 14.—Frank Erne of this city knocked out Harry Becker of Bayonne, N. J., in the fifth round before a packed house at the Olympic club last night. The betting at the ringside was 100 to 70 on Erne, and when the New York contingent, which came to back Becker, was drained, the odds rose to two to one. Becker was freely touted as a coming champion in the 128-pound class, and much money changed hands on the result.

The battle was a very fast and scientific one. In the opening round Erne landed almost at will, but without damage to his opponent, who was in magnificent condition. In the three following rounds Becker forced the fighting and had the best of it, Erne playing a waiting game. Erne started the fifth round in lively fashion and landed right and left swings with terrific force on head and body. A fierce right hander sent Becker reeling, and Frank followed it up with short arm jolts that soon had Becker so groggy that Referee Jack Sheehan of Boston, to avoid a complete knockout, declared Erne the victor. Erne came out of the contest without a mark. The winner will be matched against Dal Hawkins of San Francisco for a $2500 purse.

"Kid" McCoy was introduced to the spectators and received an ovation. He said that he was robbed of a victory over Tommy Ryan at Syracuse and was willing to meet him anywhere for any amount of money, Buffalo preferred.

CRICKET WITH BRITISHERS.

New York, Sept. 14.—The international cricket match which opened the series to be played between the English players, who arrived here last week, and the New York and Philadelphian experts attracted a fair-sized crowd of enthusiasts to the grounds of the Staten Island Cricket club at Livingston yesterday. The Americans who tackled the Britons in the initial game were chosen from the clubs which make up the Metropolitan Cricket league, and they were a very representative eleven.

The Englishmen won and decided to take the initiative. The total of the first inning was 166, including 18 extras. The New Yorkers did not make as good a showing as expected, only three of them getting double figures. Four others did nothing, and the remainder very little more. Bull's bowling was very effective, as he secured six wickets for 41 runs.

At 5 o'clock the Englishmen went in for their second inning, with Jessop and Head as batsmen. Stumps were drawn at 5:20 o'clock, with the score 33 for two wickets. Play was resumed at 11 o'clock today.

THIRTEEN BEHIND.

Montreal, Sept. 14.—The cricket match between the Montreal Zingari and the Longwood Boston Cricket clubs drew forth a large number of the lovers of the game yesterday. The excellent playing of Hill and Walker made the total of 52 scored by Montreal possible. On Longwood going to the bat, man after man fell to the bowling of Richardson. Crackwell played a good game and Lindsay kept the fielders guessing by his brilliant placing of the ball. Some misjudged fielding on Montreal's part rendered it possible for Longwood to quit just 13 behind. The game was left in an interesting stage, but the Montreals feel that they need 60 more to feel safe.

EARNINGS OF RACERS.

Out of the thousands of horses that were gotten ready or planned to race in the big line of 1897 but 109 succeeded in getting $500 in gross to their credit. If a horse followed the line from Detroit to New York he could not possibly pay expenses if he did not win $2500 or over. The record to date shows that 109 horses won $500 or over, 73 won $1000 or over, 36 won $2000 or over, 22 $2500 or over, 16 $3000 or over, eight $4000 or over, 4 $5000 or over; only one horse has approached the $10,000 limit and she won two of the big purses offered in a whole season for speed horses.

PRELIMINARY PRACTICE.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 14.—The Princeton football players began preliminary practice yesterday. About 20 men responded for work. Captain Cochran drilled the players half an hour in catching punts and falling on the ball. Trainer McMasters sent them around the running track a few times, and this was deemed sufficient work for the first afternoon. Today the gridiron will be marked out, all the players and coaches will have arrived, and the "tigers" will go to work in earnest. Princeton will meet Yale at New Haven on Nov. 20.

THE RIGBY RACES.

Portland, Me., Sept. 14.—As rain prevented the opening day's races at Rigby, they were set forward a day. There is a big string of fast horses at the park, and a season of rare sport is expected with the breaking of records. Everybody is looking forward to the great 2:03 trot, which will probably take place next Thursday. Derby Princess, Dan Cupid, Nemoline, Early Bird, Queen Allen, B. B. P., The Monk, Louis Victor and Hilma are out for it.

MAINE POLO LEAGUE.

Augusta, Me., Sept. 14.—A meeting of the Maine Polo league has been called for Thursday, Sept. 16, at the Johnson House, Gardiner. Several applications for membership have been received during the summer months. Every team in the league is being strengthened, and the Maine polo season is expected to be the warmest on record.

CHESS TOURNAMENT.

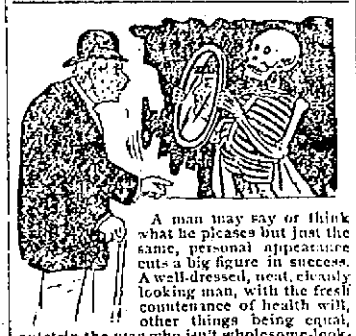
Berlin, Sept. 14.—The first round of the international chess tournament was played in this city yesterday. Of the 10 games played only four resulted in victories, namely: For Marco, Blackburne, Walbrodt and Alapin, respectively. Five games were drawn and one was adjourned. The second round will be played today.

STABBED IN THE BACK.

Nashua, N. H., Sept. 14.—In Hudson last evening while Arthur Kidney, 30 years of age, was in the boiler room at Melendy's mills, he was attacked by David Robinson and stabbed twice in the back. The men were formerly employed at the mills and had had trouble. The wounded man expressed the wish that Robinson should not be prosecuted.

Paris has been full of mosquitoes this summer.

Glasgow has a population of nearly 1,000,000 and has only 494 doctors.


A man may say or think what he pleases but just the same, personal appearance cuts a big figure in success. A well-dressed, neat, cleanly looking man, with the fresh countenance of health will, other things being equal, outstrip the man who isn't wholesome-looking. Many men imagine that hard work—"hustling" they call it—counts for everything. In the long run the easy-going man who takes time to think of his health and his personal appearance outstrips the reckless, neglectful "hustler." Many men are held back in the struggle of life by their personal appearance. Through neglect of the digestion their blood gets full of impurities and humors which show themselves on the face and body in the shape of skin affections, blotches, eruptions, eczema and scrofula.
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FACTS AND FANCIES IN WOMAN'S REALM.

A Neat Fall Wrap.

One of the neatest wraps of the early fall is a black silk plush mantle possessed of wide revers and a high roll collar decorated with fine braid and embroidery, and round the waist a ceinture of black satin.

The newest millinery models include a green rustic straw, with soft, full crown of dark malachite velvet, with

MANTLE OF BLACK SILK

a ruche of can de Nil velvet round the crown, and handsome black ostrich plumes and white ospreys. A toque betrave velvet had a very original drawn crown, and a somewhat simple trimming of rich striped brocaded ribbon, and jet buckles. A "Di Vernon" hat in black velvet had sweeping plumes of black ostrich springing from a cut silver buckle, and was turned up at one side with a large black bow. A tiny bonnet of black tulle and sequins had upright spikes of diamonds, sequinned back plumes, and curled white ospreys; and in young ladies' hats there was an attractive display.

One of the newest autumn fancies, the long dark green cloth pelisse, illustrated, is an attractive example of what will be la mode in the coming month. The bodice portion, as well as the sleeves, are decorated with a superb design in black satin applique,

A CLOTH PELISSE

and make a lovely background for the handsome skunk which trims the deep collar and single rever which terminates at the left side; the whole is lined with rich black satin, and yet the price is within the limits of an ordinary purse.

For nearly half a century there lived near Columbia, Mo., on a fine farm of 168 acres a brother and sister, William and Julia Barnes, both deaf mutes. They lived utterly alone and little was known of them except that they were a remarkable pair. Neither had ever seen a railroad train and knew little of modern civilization. They dressed in the style of fifty years ago.

William Barnes, the older of the pair, died recently at the age of 77 years, and the sister was prostrated with grief. She refused to see visitors and remained for days alone in her room with the door locked. It was reported in the neighborhood that a large sum of money was in the house and it was feared that the place would be raided. James English and Parker Barnes of that neighborhood, decided to investigate. They searched the house and found it like a Klondike gold mine. Money was everywhere—under the carpets, over the doors and windows, tucked into old shoes and stockings. They found gold, silver, and bills, besides a number of valuable notes and papers. In all $5,000 was found. The Public Administrator was informed, and on the belief that the aged sister of the deceased was irresponsible, the money was placed in a bank. The parents of the strange pair lived and died on the same farm.

Make time for serious thoughts. Let no day pass without some memory of solemn things. Each morning as you rise remind yourselves that "God spake these words and said." Each evening as you lie down to rest let God's angels close the door of your heart on thoughts of purity and peace. The soul that has never lived face to face with eternity is a vulgar soul. The life that has never learnt the high law of holiness is a ruined and a wasted life.—F. W. Farrar.

Rev. Sam Jones is telling his audiences just who will go to heaven and who will be denied that privilege. It is hardly necessary to state that those who decline to contribute to the Jones plate are denied places on that gentleman's eligible list.

The Queen of England's decendants either now occupy or will in due course sit upon seven thrones—namely, those of the British Empire, the German Empire, the Russian Empire, the Kingdom of Greece, the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, the Grand Duchy of Hesse and the Duchy of Saxe-Meiningen—an amount of territory ruled by her descendants which must comprise at least half of the entire globe. Her Majesty is also a relative of the King of Hanover, the King of Denmark and the King of the Belgians. The Queen, it may be mentioned, became a grandmother when she was 40.

Mr. Chamleigh—Excuse me, Miss Cawker, I didn't catch what you said just now. My mind was wandering.

Miss Cawker—What! is the poor little thing able to go out alone?

Then he got his hat and said good-by, only once, after reaching the door.

Irish Tweed Costume.

This is a charming example of the Irish fleece tweed in snow white, fashioned into a golf cape or evening wrap with Medici collar and quaint hood; it is unlined, but the material, which is like combed lamb's wool, is identically the same on both sides; this fa-

IRISH TWEED COSTUME

bric is kept in all colors, and will certainly have a vogue this autumn.

In Caledon Tweed.

A pretty fall costume is of Caledon tweed in green faintly shot with dove-grey; the latter shade is the hue of the band of cloth which overlies the hem, and forms the background for an effective braiding design carried out

OF CALEDON TWEED

in black and silver. The short beautifully cut Eton coat shows two conventional fern leaves braided on the back seams, and again pointing diagonally from the square-cut fronts of the coat. The dove cloth revers, collar, and cuffs are in keeping with the character of the gown, and are richly braided, and the whole is lined with gold and green shot silk of brilliant lustre.

After the placeur (or regular chiffonnier who owns the right to sift a certain number of dustbins) has finished with her overhauling she leaves the despoiled dustbin which it would seem contains little else than decayed vegetables and cinders to the tender mercies of the roving chiffonniers or coureurs.

These novices do not make much profit from their scant pickings, poor things, one franc and a half being the most they can earn.

The early morning frequenters of the streets are innumerable and the many odd callings they represent are more than puzzling to the American. There are the tondeurs de chiens or dog-tenders, who pass through the streets at a certain hour every day, announcing their presence by a particular cry, and with their shears and little box of necessaries will for a small consideration wash and clip the French poodles, making their toilets in most artistic fashion.

Bertha—What is the height of your ambition, dear?

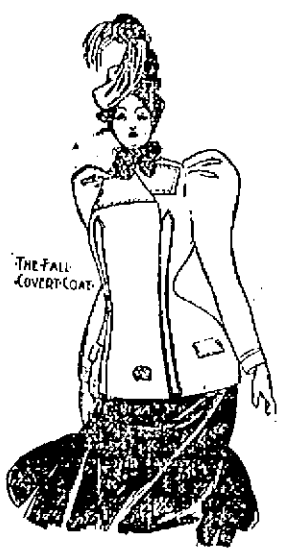
Marie (blushing)—Oh, something between five and a half and six feet.—London Fun.

Texas, according to those who have driven through the State, has some queer ways. The climate is said to be the hottest, coldest, wettest and driest in all the country.

Convicts work on the roads in this State. Following the chain gang is a wagon conveying a big cage, in which bloodhounds are kept in the daytime. The dogs, of course, are used to track escaped prisoners. At night the brutes are turned out and the convicts sleep in the cage. The chain gang processions are seen on the roads summer and winter.—Toledo Blade.

A Fall Covert Coat.

A stylish fall coat is here shown. It is made of light fawn covert cloth, trimmed with wide bands of stitching, and has a collar of rich petunia velvet. This garment is a trifle longer than



THE FALL COVERT COAT

those of late years, and fits tightly into the waist, at the sides and back, but has a loose, double-breasted effect in front, fastening invisibly on the left side. It is lined with rich red changeable taffeta silk throughout. The sleeves of the regulation coat style fit snugly to the arm, with a very slight fullness at the top. A tie of soft fawn colored silk dotted with white is worn around the throat to give a softening effect.

With this handsome coat goes a pretty toque, also of petunia velvet to match the collar. It is turned up directly on the left side, where it is trimmed with black plumes and aigrettes of light fawn color.

Incidentally.

Brady of Indiana, who has been appointed Governor of Alaska, has had an interesting and romantic career. To the best of his knowledge he is a native of New York city. He never knew his parents nor the name they gave him, if any. He grew up a veritable street arab in the utmost poverty. In 1860 he was sent to Indiana with a car load of waifs as miserable as himself.

The car reached Tipton, a county seat thirty miles north of Indiana, and a number of the youngsters were committed to the care of residents. Judge John Green, a prominent citizen of the place, called for the "ugliest, raggedest, and most friendless" in the lot. "Jack," as he was afterward known, was promptly presented; and, at first, the Judge, appalled at so much misery in bulk, was inclined to go back on his demand, but finally took the lad home to Mrs. Green. She was out of patience with her husband for his action, but the absolute destitution of the boy appealed to her and she got down to the real boy by a process of thorough cleaning. After the examination she thought she might learn to like him and Jack's new life began.

He appreciated his home and the kindness of his benefactors, and diligently applied himself to study, proving himself capable and efficient. A course at the public schools was followed by a year at Waveland Academy a well-known preparatory institution, and that by four years at Harvard. He had determined to be a preacher, and after he had been graduated at Cambridge he was sent by Judge Green to England to pursue his theological studies. Returning to Tipton in 1876, the next year he went to Alaska as a missionary under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church, and he has since remained there. His interest in the field was not confined to his missionary labors, and in 1881 he visited the States, displaying specimens of its gold and silver ores, and telling marvellous stories of its natural resources. As a result of his talks there was a large increase of the population of the Territory, capitalists and prospectors being attracted by his enthusiastic descriptions. Mr. Brady contributed largely to the reports of the census of 1890 respecting Alaska and in the Harrison Administration served as Commissioner of the Territory.

John Kendall, who was recently the foreman of a mine at Rossland, B. C., lately underwent an experiment that has left him a physical wreck. His nerves were shattered and it will be months before he regains his former strength.

Kendall and four other men lighted the short fuses under eight charges of giant powder in the True Blue mine and then jumped into the basket to be hauled to the surface and out of harm's way. The basket raised a few feet and then stopped. Soon it began settling, and it looked as though the five men would be blown to atoms when the tremendous charges of powder were exploded. When the basket was within four feet of the bottom of the shaft the fuses could be heard sputtering, and the men knew that only a few seconds would elapse before the blasts were discharged.

Kendall jumped from the basket and began pulling the fuses from the primers, which were to explode the powder.

Kendall had extinguished five of the fuses nearest the bottom of the shaft when he heard the preliminary sputtering that betokened an immediate explosion several feet away. He stumbled towards them and fell, extinguishing his light. Then there was nothing but the spitting fire to guide him.

"Fortunately," he says in describing his actions, "the two shots had been put down close together. I was able to seize a fuse in either hand. Providence was with me again, for neither blast exploded as I drew the fuse from the primers. What happened after that I do not know of my own knowledge. A great darkness came over me. They say they found me doubled up at the bottom of the shaft, with the fuses of the last two holes clinched tightly in my hands."

It was afterwards discovered that the stopping of the ascending basket was due to the engineer's carelessness. He had forgotten to open the water-cocks in the cylinders, and, as a consequence the slide valves choked and would not act.—New York World.

As illustrating the almost incredible extent which the Italians—the Sicilians especially—can communicate with gestures, grimaces, and what is called the sign language generally, Alexandre Dumas relates that he was one evening in the theater at Palermo, with a gentleman of that city named Aranl, when his attention was attracted to what appeared to be, and in fact were, conversations carried on between the boxes and the orchestra. Presently Dumas' companion recognized an acquaintance on the other side of the house, and began exchanging with him eager notions of the hands and eyes. When it ended, Dumas begged to know what had been said, and was informed that the gentleman was a friend of Signor Aranl who had been away for three years. "He told me," said Signor Aranl, "that he had been married in Naples, and then had traveled for three years with his wife in Austria and France; that a daughter was born and died; and that he had arrived by steamboat yesterday, but could not bring his wife to the opera with him because she had suffered so much from seasickness as to unable to come." Dumas was so astonished, that he went privately and verified this account; and he adds other equally long and complicated conversations which came under his notice at Syracuse and Naples.

Jenny Lind's sojourn in America was fruitful in many ways. Her progress left a chain of charities through the land by which orphans and sick are still nurtured and healed. The rapture of her music created a criterion by which the success of every other artist has been measured from that day to this. The tradition of her pure and noble womanhood has remained to music a bulwark against which the scandal and corruption of the operatic and musical world has broken in vain. In the memory of every human being who heard her, her singing has rung to the hour of death as the one perfect and sublime revelation of the beauty and ecstacy of music itself. This is much. But America owes Jenny Lind one other and greater debt that has never been recognized, which it is the purpose of this article to consider. She brought the musical temperament of America to consciousness of itself. Her tour was the supreme moment in our national history when young America, ardent, enthusiastic, impressible, heard and knew its own capacity for musical feeling forever. From that hour it has received or denied the world's great artists who have made pilgrimage hither, supreme in its own consciousness of its artistic needs and temperament.—Fanny Morris Smith in the Century.

The New York Sun, Mr. Dana's paper, says that after describing Hawaii as "a rotten republic," and characterizing its people as an "abominable community," and its government as "a gang of crooked schemers" our contemporary, the New York Times, proceeded yesterday morning to remark:

"Over all this unspeakable nastiness we propose to unfurl the American flag. We take Hawaii into our Federal sisterhood, and ought to wear the hue of shame and hang our heads in doing it, as might a man who should take into his home a wretched trollop of the streets."

Saturday, like Friday, was an uncommonly hot day. On Friday the Mugwump Evening Post came to the melancholy conclusion that popular government had ceased to exist in this country; although later in the day it revised its threnody so far as to admit that popular government might yet be alive, although constitutional government was certainly dead.

Saturday's heat acted somewhat different upon the cranium of the Times. We as a nation are all right, whatever the Evening Post might say to the contrary, but the estimable inhabitants of the Hawaiian Islands and the respectable gentlemen who constitute the government of that little republic will appear to the Times' superheated brains as things of "unspeakable nastiness."

How much better it is that in newspaper offices where intellect is at the mercy of the thermometer the ebullition of the gray matter should manifest itself in such comparatively benign symptoms as in the Tribune establishment, which produced on the hottest of Saturdays for yesterday's reading a masterly editorial article, showing that the finer qualities of human nature have not entirely disappeared from earth, and containing this lovely passage:

"Not yet the age of chivalry is gone. Not yet, nor ever will he while human nature to itself holds true. The splendors of knight-errantry are past. The valiant deeds that glorified the age of force are done; happy if not forgotten or discredited. Yet each revolving year, defying the dreary drivel of materialism and rebuking the pale plane of Mugwump mediocrity, brings to the fore, some new, resplendent scene that shows how slight and puerile are storm and wreck and woe and death before the conquering greatness of the human soul."

There was nearly a column that read like a poem. How much better it is, we repeat, that the crisis should pass thus harmlessly, rather than in melancholia or violence.

A young fellow in town was surprised the other day. He proposed to a girl, and instead of her saying, "It is so sudden," she said, "It's about time."

Reggy: "I hear Cholly has concussion of the bwain."

Algy: "Yaas, poor chap, two twains of thought collided."

In the parlor of G. J. McBrian, of Oakland, Cal., stands a three-legged table, big enough to leaf to hold a heavy dictionary or bible, that is attracting the attention of the neighbors. The table has been in the McBrian's parlor more than a year. It has been varnished and revarnished many times. The table has never been wet, and it has not received an excessive amount of sunshine. Nevertheless, two or three weeks ago tiny buds formed on two of the legs, on the table, and now vivid green sprouts have taken place. These sprouts have become slender branches, covered with leaves. It is a remarkable manifestation of the virility of plant life under adverse circumstances. The McBrians do not known how old the table

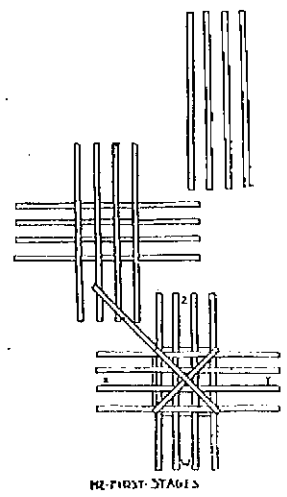
PRETTY THINGS FOR THE HOUSEHOLD.

Making a Bike Basket.

The proper thing for the wheeling girl nowadays is to make for herself, or for the brother of some other girl, a pretty wicker-basket which can be readily attached to the handlebar of the bike. How to make it is easily learned but the beginner had better stand on a round mat, which later on can be used as the foundation of the basket.

Cut eight pieces of split cane the same length. Take four of the eight pieces you have cut and lay them down on the table, taking care to get all the ends evenly together.

Next take your four remaining pieces and lay them across the four on the table, as exactly in the middle as possible, so that they now resemble a cross.



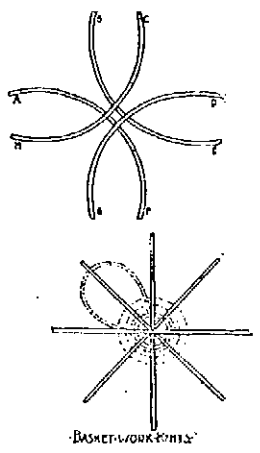
THE FIRST STAGES

When this cross is obtained, the pieces of cane forming it are known as your "rays." To begin to weave, take a piece of cane of rather finer quality than you used for your rays. This finer piece is called the "weaving thread," and you work with it as follows: Lay one end of the weaving thread down by one set of rays, to form an odd ray. (For if you work, with an even number of rays, it is obvious that you will not be able to form a pattern). Then pass your weaving thread under the first set of four rays, next cross it over diagonally to the opposite corner and pass it under the set of rays marked "x," where it should be beside the odd ray.

Now cross it over, diagonally, to the opposite corner and under the set of rays marked "w," when your weaving thread ought to have made a diagonal cross over the middle of the cross made by the rays.

To ensure absolute firmness, pass your thread over the set of rays marked "x," under the odd ray, over the set marked "z," and under "y," over "w," under "x," over the odd.

Now divide your rays into twos instead of fours and to make the mat a better shape it will be as well to gently press "a" and "h" together, and "g" and "f," "e" and "d," and "c" and "b." Weave steadily on, over two and under two, alternately, always remembering the odd ray, until the desire size is obtained, when the weaving



BASKET-WORK FONTS

thread is fastened off by pushing it down by a ray.

The border to finish the mat off is made with the rays. Many pretty ones are easily designed, the following being an example.

Take one ray and pass it under the ray next to it and push it down, through the woven part, by the ray next but one. Then do the same with the next ray, and so on all round the mat, being careful to get all the loops the same size, so as to make the mat when finished, quite round in shape.

Possibly the most interesting woman's invention was patented by the wife of a well-known western man. There had been some trouble with a lock, either at her home or at her husband's office, and she had been much wrought up about it. When she went to bed at night she dreamed of a new lock made on a plan entirely different from any she had ever seen. In the morning she made a model of her dream lock out of a cake of soap. Then she took the model to a machinist, who duplicated the soap lock in steel, and it worked so satisfactorily that a large firm of lockmakers offered a royalty to her for the privilege of manufacturing locks after her design, and she is still in receipt of a considerable income every year from that source.—Ohio State Journal.

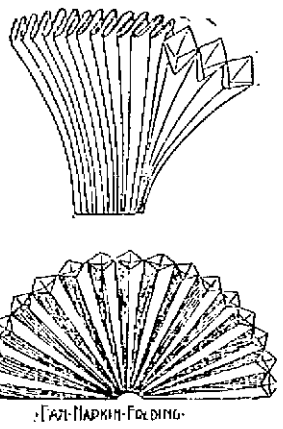
The wonderful development of certain faculties in the cases of persons who have lost the use of some of their natural functions, or of others whose faculties have not been fully developed, has long been a matter of remark, but it is not alone the outside observes who appreciate the provisions of nature for the benefit of the unfortunates. The sufferers themselves often appreciate this fully, and in some instances, after years, grow to depend so much upon their acquired faculties as to be afraid of a change, even if they have the chance of one, says the New York Sun.

An illustration of this is given by a woman in Brooklyn who never has learned to read or write. In no way could one discover this except by her own admission, or by putting her to a direct test, for she is one of the best educated women in the country, conversant with languages, art, literature and all the current topics of the day. She is rich, too, and could afford all the services of the best teachers if she chose to learn to read but she refuses to do so.

When this woman was a child her parents lived far from schools, so she had no chance then to learn to read or write. As a mere child she began to earn her own living, and again the chance for schooling slipped away. Then she married, and the cares of a family took up her time. By the time the babies were off her hands her husband had grown rich, and then she began her real education, and now, as a widow, she continues it. Her companions read to her and talk with her about all the topics which interest her. Years of such work have stored her mind with a rich treasure of knowledge, and there is not a page of a book that has been read to her that she is not familiar with; her stores of knowledge are at her instant command. Why will she not learn to read? Because, she says, she fears that this wonderful memory, which is now such a treasure house to her, might be impaired if she were to do anything to weaken the demands upon it.

The Fan-shaped Napkin.

To fold the napkin into a fan design is simplicity itself. First, place the napkin on the table, with the hem at top and bottom before you, and fold it through the center to bring



FAN NAPKIN FOLDING

the fold at top. The next fold is accomplished by turning up one side to bring hem level with fold at top. After which turn napkin over from right to left to bring the under part uppermost, and then fold up this side.

It is now ready for pleating up; to do which, place napkin lengthways before you and arrange it in nice even pleats, which must be well pressed with the hand so that they may retain their form. Take the napkin in the left hand, with the two folds at the top, and the fold with single edge either side at bottom, then you can open out each pleat and press down the inner point with a pencil or the finger-tip, as clearly shown by the diagram.

Having done all the pleats thus, turn the napkin over from left to right and proceed to pull the top of each pleat down as you did the other side. Press the base of the pleats firmly together, and pull the fan out, like the fan design, when it will stand on the table, leaning against the roll of bread, which should be placed at the back.

Golf Cape of Fleece Tweed.

One of the smartest autumn gowns yet displayed is of Irish tweed of rich Austrian-blue mixture and has six rows of narrow white tracing braid surrounding the skirt, and rising to a point on the front breadth over a quaintly embroidered horse shoe and hunting crop; the same device on a

HORSE-SHOE COAT CAPES

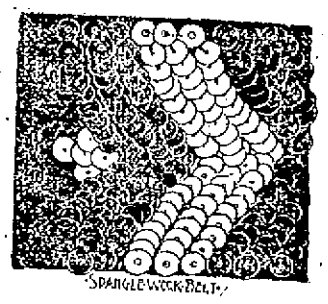
small scale ornaments the fronts of the medium length jacket, which is outlined with two rows of the white braid, and on the smart little velvet collar the horse shoe again appears. The costume is strikingly original and in the best style.

A Belt in Spangle Work.

Spangled belts are still much in flavor, and the one here illustrated shows the spangles arranged in vandykes, black and silver being the colors employed. Obtain a length of firm black satin ribbon double that required to encircle the waist, as half of this will be fore the lining. On the half, which is to be embroidered make a row of little dots with white chalk about ¾ of an inch apart along both edges of the ribbon. Along the exact centre of the satin mark a third row of dots, also at ¾ of an inch apart, and arranged to come exactly between the dots along the sides. Then chalk vandykes from each side dot to a centre one, and across to the dot exactly opposite the starting place. These marks serve as guide lines by help of which the work may be kept even; there is room for three rows of ¼ inch spangles between each pair of dots.

Start with one spangle on each centre dot, and bring from each of these an overlapping row of spangles along to the edge of the ribbon, fastening on the last sequin with a bead. The method of working is shown in the illustration, where some rows are left unfinished as a model.

The sequins, it will be noted, are



SPANGLE WORK BELT

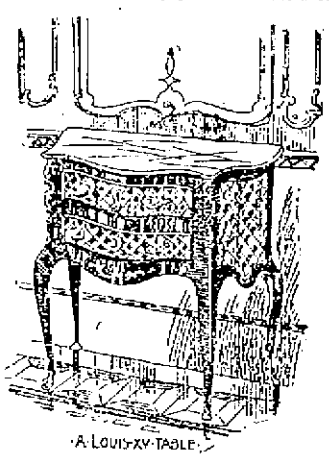
arranged in three rows of silver and three of black set alternately. When a sufficient length is completed the embroidery is backed with ribbon, and small black hooks and eyes are sown on as invisibly as possible.

M. Nado, director of a Parisian theater, had a silver watch which, though dear at 30 francs, had in the course of its service saved its owner a snug fortune. He was rich, and was known to be so throughout the theatrical world and his opportunities of making small loans to impoverished actors were quite unrivaled. The artist would state his case, and the great man would listen sympathetically. "Ah," he would say, "that is sad, very sad Would I could help you, but I've just made some heavy payments, and haven't ten francs about me. But hold, my friend, here is this watch. Take it. Truly it is not much, but it is all I have." Generally, of course, the offer was not accepted; but if by chance it was, M. Nado continued: "And bring me the pawn ticket to-morrow. I'll redeem it." As no pawnbroker in Paris would lend more than 5 francs on it, serious outlay, and it was ready for the same service over again.—Philadelphia Record.

A Louis XV. Revival.

Louis XV furniture is going to be the rage the coming winter, reproductions of the styles favored by that beauty-loving monarch being made for the dining room, the drawing rooms and sleeping apartments.

Green was his favorite color, but as he did not favor any particular kind of



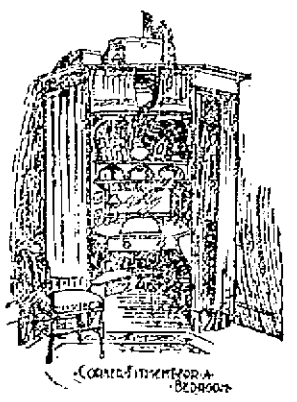
A LOUIS XV TABLE

wood, the markers are using oak, mahogany and enamelled woods of various shades of green.

The daintiness of the style is shown by the illustration of an inlaid mahogany commode with a marble top. Marble by the way is again coming to the front after a long period of retirement.

A Handy Bedroom Fitment.

A most convenient and tasteful piece of bedroom furniture is shown here. Any carpenter could arrange a corner



CONVENIENT FOR A BEDROOM

cupboard and writing table such as the one sketched, quite inexpensively. It is merely so many shelves of wood stained or enamelled to match the room, and fixed into position. If the coloring of the rest of the room warrants it the whole should be stained greenn, and the curtains hung at both sides to form hanging cupboards must be of cigar-brown serge or cretonne. The window curtains in this room may also be of the same.

In using the corners of a room in this way, much valuable space is saved, and I suppose we all like to have a writing or work table in our bedroom, if only such luxuries can be obtained inexpensively.

She—Have you really seen that wonderful set of pictures that Miss Leftover has had taken, one on each birthday?

He—Yes; but they're very indistinct. You see the photos have faded at one end of the list, and the subject at the other.—Truth.

"Don't you think young Porticus is a budding genius?"

"No, I think he is more of a blooming idiot."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

LABOR MATTERS

MACAULAY REVISED.

HIS SAIL AND ANCHOR EPIGRAM ON OUR CONSTITUTION REVERSED.

The Inspired Few Who Alone Can Read That Sacred Document—The Plowmen Who Look Back—The Joys That Perish and Those That Perish Not.

[Special Correspondence.]

Macaulay gave us his analysis of our constitution in the following words: "It is all sail and no anchor. There is nothing to stay you." The writer suggests the following amendment: "It is all anchor and no sail. There is nothing to propel us onward." Macaulay was a born aristocrat and an Englishman besides, a man with considerable sense in certain directions, but an Englishman and an aristocrat all the same, a combination which implies a dislike for popular rights not originated and sanctified by the English aristocracy and so made subservient to all aristocratic supremacy. The mere idea of men without property and with the right to vote, that alone meant too much sail and no anchor, sail enough for us to go soon into destruction, in the mind of Macaulay. That is just the idea that is today lurking in the brains of most of our American wealthy chaps. How much folly you can find in the wisdom of men up to a Macaulay, a historian who had not yet learned the most fundamental lesson of history. And the lesson is that the incomplete and wrong progress of humanity has always been due to the fact that the working masses have never had backbone enough to assert their most basic rights. That is just the trouble with us today.

Our plain Thomas Jefferson understood the situation. He never thought that we should go to pieces because of excess in popular rights, but because of their deficiency. Too much power with the federal judiciary is the danger that Jefferson pointed out over three-quarters of a century ago, power from men who were not in office by the will of the people and did not need to be afraid of losing their fat salaries no matter what they should see fit to do with their power. The idea of a few men alone, a few popes, being able to read the constitution and the laws enacted by legislative bodies! What is that but converting 70,000,000 of free citizens into a pack of idiots? And still we brag about our own freedom. Should we blame the judges for that? Not at all. They simply perform the duties we have agreed they should perform. We simply get what we deserve for our own folly or simplicity or infatuation, call it what you like.

That this nation of ours is pretty sick and may in due time be sick unto death is not even denied by any sensible judge or plutocrat in his sober moments. They don't like to talk about it and get angry if you do, thereby proving their own fears of the situation. And who is the real patriot, the sound conservative, the honest citizen, the Christian after the manner of Christ? Is he anything of the kind who is afraid of truth, afraid to look after remedies with which to save his own nation from fatal dangers visible all around?

Homer said that Agamemnon was made to be a king of men. The writer thinks that all men are made to be their own kings in the sense of understanding truth and so being able to read the laws of their own nation. Just as well not to have any laws if we cannot read them. Who is it that cannot read the law of the golden rule? Let all human laws be in accord with that one, and we shall not need any judges for the reading of our own laws.

"No man having put his hand to the plow and looking back is worthy of the kingdom of heaven." And we, the citizens of the grand nation, have to be constantly looking back to what our fathers 120 years ago meant when they concocted a constitution about the workings of which they themselves were full of apprehensions and fears. Some considered it too radical, like Grandpa Macaulay, and others felt in their bones that it was altogether too fossilized. And don't you know that we fail to worship the Father as long as we insist upon worshiping the fathers?

Men have always been the same fallible beings, forever groping in the dark, making experiments in search of the joys that perish and forgetting all about the joys that perish not. The latter only come to those who love the plain working masses at least as much as each one may love himself and his own family group. He who joins his tears with those of humanity down to the bottom and loves the bottom better than the top—he who stands for the rights of those at the bottom and dares to proclaim that there should be no bottom at all, he is the one who drinks down the joys that perish not. And in the beautiful language of Mr. Ernest Crosby of New York city, death will not be able to find the men in question, those who live and breathe and work for the uplifting of the whole race, for the extermination of all injustice, for the assertion of all truth and all righteousness on earth, for the full manhood of all men on the face of the planet.

What do we read in the prayer of all prayers? "Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven." When shall we stop praying those words with our lips alone? When shall we let our acts correspond to the prayers of our lips? When shall we cease being satisfied with our own personal goodness, respectability, piety, etc., and try to be the righteous citizens of a righteous nation? JOSE GROS.

Morristown, N. J.

No Help From Courts.

It should not be possible for a corporation, after refusing to submit to arbitration a difference with its employees, to call upon the government to sustain it against the consequences of its refusal.—Boston Post.

LABOR AND CIVIL SERVICE.

Professor Bemis Expresses Himself on the Controversy in Chicago.

The sudden opposition of many trades union officials of Chicago to our civil service law is both astonishing and pitiable. It may be that the civil service examinations are not of a sufficiently practical character, or that the system of marking the examination papers is very faulty, although these charges are yet to be proved. From what has thus far been revealed, however, it would appear that the questions for each line of work are prepared by practical workmen in that occupation and cover only points which every good workman should know.

The action of Mayor Harrison in taking out from under the protection of the civil service law all heads of departments and many heads of subdepartments would seem to be as great a concession to the opponents of civil service reform as they should expect. If there are abuses in the questions asked or the system of marking the results or of appointing on the supposed basis of these examinations, surely the fuller the discussion and criticism the better. It may even be practicable to introduce other evidence of fitness aside from the results of an examination, but our labor leaders are taking an altogether different attitude and one equally injurious to labor and to the public weal when they attack the civil service reform principle.

The issue is as plain as daylight. If there is any one thing that the mass of the wageworkers of Chicago need, it is along the following lines: (1) Public ownership and operation of gas works, electric lights, telephones and street railways, whereby the charges may be greatly reduced, city revenues increased and the hours of labor and the general situation of the employees improved; (2) the entire displacement of contract labor on public works by laborers working directly for the city, whereby the work may be better and more cheaply done and the employees treated in every way better, and (3) a vast increase in the honesty and efficiency of the city and state governments in collecting and spending the public revenue and in supervising the public sanitation, factory, store and workshop labor and those many other duties which the modern municipal city and state must increasingly assume.

Now all of these things imperatively demand an entire destruction of the spoils system and the appointment and retention of employees on the basis of merit only, as is the case today in Great Britain. Nothing is more pleasing, from a selfish point of view, to such monopolists as lately robbed Chicago of tens of millions of dollars at Springfield than such an attitude toward the civil service as our labor leaders are assuming, for nothing will prove so strong an argument against city ownership of our local monopolies and against other phases of public activity just mentioned as the destruction of our civil service reform law.

The only possible explanation of the action of these leaders of labor would seem to be that, while pretending to be fighting the battle of organized labor, they are really seeking their own personal advantage at the expense of the public welfare, in order through the destruction of the entire reform law to secure more pickings at the city hall.

It is hard, however, to believe this of all the labor leaders reported as opposed to the principle of civil service reform in Chicago. Will not the more thoughtful and honorable of these pause in their suicidal policy and refrain from striking a deadly blow at the true interests of the thousands they represent?—Edward W. Bemis in Chicago Record.

Labor and the Militia.

General orders issued by Adjutant General Irish, with reference to the annual encampment of Michigan state troops this year, have stirred up the labor organizations to a great extent in several sections of the state.

The feature of the orders which has caused so much adverse comment among the members of labor unions is that which relates to street formation and riot firing. General Irish informs the troops in this connection that while the chances are that they may never be called into active service in the field, they are liable at any time to be called out to suppress riots. This, he says, is why the state maintains the troops. In commenting on this part of the general orders a prominent labor leader of the state said:

"Organized labor has long been of the opinion that the soldiers were maintained simply to oppose them in times of strikes and labor troubles, and now it appears that this opinion was well founded. The agitation to prevent trades unionists from joining the state militia should be renewed until every union debars its members from joining. My union forbids any of its members joining the state troops, and within a few months we have rejected several applicants because they belonged to the militia. We once believed that the soldiers were maintained for the purpose of protecting the country in case of the invasion of a foreign foe, but our minds have been disabused of that idea. Now we know that they are merely kept to harass struggling workingmen in times of trouble, and we govern ourselves accordingly."—Lansing Special.

Iron Molders In Good Condition.

The quarterly report of R. H. Metcalf, financier of the Iron Molders' international union, has been sent out to the subordinate unions. The report makes a very favorable showing of the sick benefit and relief fund, adopted about 18 months ago. During that period benefits have been paid out to sick and injured members aggregating $60,000, leaving on hand in the fund at present the handsome sum of $19,980. Excess of receipts over disbursements during the past quarter has been $2,073.03.

Why * Do * The * Crowds * Come?

Because this sale is honest, the prices are so little, and the Suits are so good. Competition completely shut out. Regular dealers struggling against their inevitable doom. Bargains that madden them, prices that sicken them, values that paralyze them.

The Great Clothing Sale of the Entire Stock of T. D. HARTFORD,

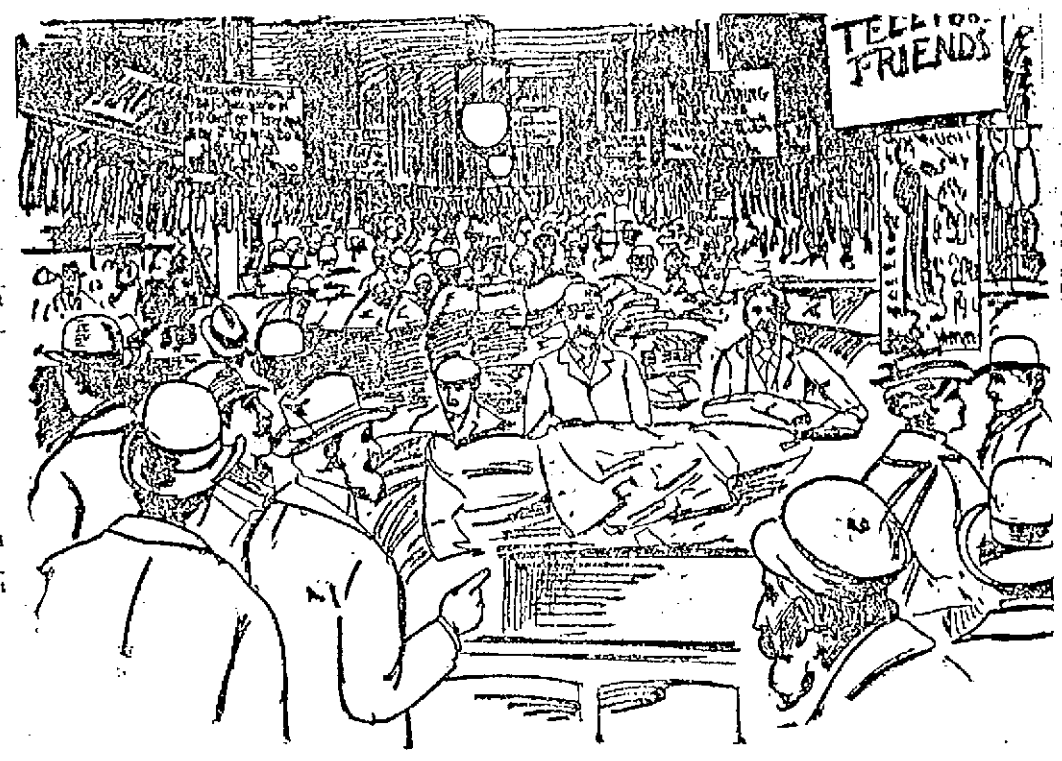
18 Central Street, - - - Lowell, Mass.

Now in progress in our Busy Store, rivals anything previously known in the Clothing Business and will become a part of the mercantile history of the state. In these days of forced economy, everybody realizes the importance of our popular system of buying for spot cash from hard pushed dealers and turning the goods over to the people regardless of value, and we are

CAINING -:- PRESTIGE -.- EVERY -:- DAY.

Originality.

The regular dealers are trying hard to imitate Our Announcements of spot cash purchases of manufacturers' stocks. Their feeble efforts to copy, while quite complimentary to us, surely cannot attract you, for we are the original and only firm in New England who control both the capital and outlet for large stocks.



Warning.

Come as early in the week as possible, for although we make every preparation possible to the demands of our selling capacity and have a force of police to keep the crowds in check, we must invariably lock our doors Saturdays. TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE of the rush and roar of business in our store at all times while other stores in our practically deserted lines are

Here is a Flashlight Picture of Our Store Last Night.

VERILY, TRUTH IS POWERFUL!

These Goods are now on Sale.

MEN'S SUITS.

Over 600 Men's latest styles Fall Suits in Cheviot only, Sack Coats; cost Mr. Hartford $12. Sale Price..... $2.98

470 Men's Latest Style strictly all-wool, fancy mixed plaid Cheviot Suits, all sizes; cost Mr. Hartford $13.50. Sale Price..... $4.98

750 Men's genuine Wanskuck Black Clay Worsted Suits, 18-oz. strictly all-wool Cutaways, Sacks, Slims and Stouts. Cost Mr. Hartford $18.50. Sale price $5.98

300 Men's Latest Fall Style, strictly all-wool Suits in brown, gray, drab and rough blue mixtures, all sizes; cost Mr. Hartfor $23.50. Sale price..... $7.80

260 Men's Extra Fine and extra well made, strictly all-wool Suits in all the latest styles, plaids, stripes and mixtures, all sizes. Regular wholesale price $24.00. Sale Price..... $8.90

250 Men's Latest Fall Style, highest grade, strictly all-wool Suits, lined and trimmed throughout with the very best material, plain and skeleton backs, bound with silk and satin, all sizes, guaranteed value $26.50. Sale Price..... $9.80

160 Men's Latest fall Style, strictly all-wool Oswego Black Clay Worsted Suits in Cutaways and Sacks, all sizes; guaranteed value $23.00. Sale price... $11.80

-:- Fall -:- Overcoats. -:-

Men's Latest Spring Overcoats, in black, slate and oxford mixed, strictly all-wool, all sizes, guaranteed value $10. Sale Price..... $3.98

Men's handsomely made and trimmed latest style covert Cloth fall Overcoats, strictly all-wool, made with lapped seams suitable for dress guaranteed value $18.50 sale price $7.98

HATS.

600 Men's Stiff Hats in Dunlap, Knox, Youman and Lamson & Hubbard's latest shapes and shades, all sizes, guaranteed value $3.50. Sale price... $1.25

180 Men's Alpine latest style soft Brown Hats, best of trimmings, all sizes; guaranteed value $1.25. Sale Price..... 49c

Children's - Suits.

600 Children's strictly all-wool medium weight Suits, latest fall styles in plaids and checks, all sizes; guaranteed value $3.50. Sale Price..... 98c

350 Children's latest style Fall Suits strictly all-wool, in twenty different shades, checks, stripes and plaids guaranteed value, $4.00. Sale Price..... $1.79

Men's - Pants.

280 Pairs Men's neat gray and brown striped hair-lined pants, all sizes; guaranteed value $1.75. Sale Price..... 98c

590 Pair of Men's latest fall style, all-wool black Cheviot Pants, all sizes, guaranteed value $3.00. Sale Price..... $1.24

500 Pairs Men's latest fall style fancy worsted pants, in all shades and pretty stripes, all sizes Guaranteed value $4.00. Sale Price..... $1.98

800 Pairs Men's latest Fall Style Dress Pants, in plaids, stripes and checks, worsteds and fancy cassimeres, from all the most famous pantaloon makers in the country, all sizes. Guaranteed value $6.50. Sale Price..... $2.98

Miscellaneous.

THOUSANDS of All Wool Knee Pants, ages 4 to 16, worth $1.50 per pair, all marked 14c
Lots of Cheaper ones at 7c per pair.

All the $1 Underwear marked down to 19c each. All the 50c, 75c and $1 Neckwear marked 5, 10 and 15c each. Less than one-third the real value.

If you want to buy Overalls and Jumpers now's your chance, prices are all split in two. All kinds of Fancy Shirts, Working Shirts and White Shirts marked 10, 20 and 30c up, worth three times as much. Hundreds of Umbrellas, Canes, Suspenders, Sweaters, Collars and Cuffs at prices almost ridiculous they are so low. Everything must be sold at once, no matter how low it sells for.

SPOT CASH BUYERS AND SELLERS OF MANUFACTURERS STOCKS

18 CENTRAL STREET,
MANUFACTURERS & OUTLET & COMPANY

CLOTHING SHOES AND HATS

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KINGS OF LOW PRICES

Great Sacrifice Sale at Less than 50c on the Dollar of Entire Stock of The D. H. Hartford, 18 Central St., Lowell, Sale takes place at

The T. D. Hartford' Old Store, 18 Central St., Lowell. Remember the Choicest Goods Go First. 50 Extra Salesmen Wanted. Store Open Every Evening Until 9.30.

TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The Assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1897,

With instructions to collect in the matter prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth, and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of the Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1897, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On unfinished real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any taxable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who present their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1897 IS $17.00 ON $1000.

Office Hours: from 9 o'clock a. m. to 8 p. m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 4 to 16 inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from Oct. 18 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1897, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. CORBIN,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

Coffee COFFEE GOOD PURE COFFEE

20c. POUND.

This is not our best grade, but is a bargain at the price.

F. M. BARNEY & CO.
Grocers, Bakers, Meat and Provision Dealers
615 MIDDLESEX STREET.
28 THORNDIKE STREET
Tel 144-4 Wamesit Bank Block,

THE FARRAGUT HOUSE
Henry W. Harrity, Prop.
CENTRAL STREET, LOWELL, MASS.
OPPOSITE O.R.R. AND M. DEPOT.
The house is now under a new management, thoroughly refitted and refurnished with all the modern improvements, steam heat and electric call bells in each room. Electric cars pass the door every few minutes. Choice cigars in sample room. Special rates to the Profession.
M. H. Carey. { Clerks } H. Gervais.

LOWELL
Textile School
President, A. G. GUMNOCK,

EVENING CLASSES

Arrangements have been made for the following classes to be held:
Cotton Picking, Carding and Spinning.
Wool Sorting, Picking, Carding and Spinning.
Worsted Combing, Drawing and Spinning.
Warp Preparation, Weaving and Fixing Plain and Dobby Looms.
Designing, Cloth Construction, Textile Calculations and Practical Work on Cloth Dissections and on Hand Looms.
General Chemistry.
Dyeing and Textile Chemistry.
Art as applied to Textile, Freehand and Geometrical Drawing, Sketching for Jacquard Cloth and Textile Decoration.
The Director will be pleased to advise candidates as to the best course to take, and to give an opportunity for consultation on this and other points will be present at the school on Monday and Tuesday, September 13 and 14, from 10 a. m. to 12 m., 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m., also on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 11th.
Evening Classes commence Oct. 11th, '97
Applications must be filed before Sept. 14.

DAY CLASSES
Full particulars of Day Classes may be had on application, also of the Day Art Department and Day Women's Department.
C. P. BROOKS, Director.

$29.50 WILL BUY

The prettiest and best Bicycle ever made. These machines are fully high grade, easy running, light and durable. Our Price for the Same Wheels Early in the Season Was $85.00. We need the room for sewing machine trade.

If you are looking for a bargain it will pay you to come early.

RIDING LESSONS FREE.

RING'S Big Store
221-223-225-227-229 Dutton St.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 45	6 60	6 00	§7 07
6 25	7 40	6 25	7 51
6 43	7 53	6 40	§7 38
§7 05	8 02	7 55	9 10
*§7 20	8 10	*8 30	§9 10
*§7 25	8 15	*9 00	§9 36
§7 35	8 50	9 15	§10 25
*7 45	8 37	*9 30	10 07
§7 50	8 53	10 00	11 18
*8 50	9 45	10 45	11 55
9 15	10 35	11 30	§12 07
9 40	10 46	12 00	§12 56
11 00	12 04	*1 00	§1 36
§11 42	12 26	*1 15	1 52
§12 16	1 05	2 00	3 04
1 40	2 50	*3 00	§5 47
3 00	4 25	3 41	5 00
*§3 47	4 35	4 14	§5 34
*§4 02	4 45	4 41	5 55
4 25	5 30	*5 00	6 45
§5 22	6 15	5 35	6 35
5 44	7 10	5 47	6 51
*§6 22	7 05	6 14	7 30
*§7 49	8 35	*7 35	§8 05
§8 49	9 42	*8 00	§8 55
		10 15	11 22
		11 20	12 23

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
§7 20	8 10	2 15	§3 05
§7 28	8 15	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 37
§9 19	10 10	4 00	§5 52
§4 26	5 32	7 30	§8 15
§5 65	7 00	8 00	§8 55
		9 00	10 05

Western Division

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
6 50	8 03	7 35	8 35
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 35	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 05
12 05	1 27	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 55	3 40	4 55
2 30	3 44	4 35	5 43
2 55	4 02	5 01	6 20
4 05	5 25	6 04	7 13
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 48
6 15	7 35	9 40	10 37
7 00	8 16	11 15 ‖	12 15
9 35	10 30		

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	To Boston. Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	From Boston. Arr.
8 15	9 27	5 00	9 17
12 05	1 26	11 45	12 55
4 15	5 25	6 00	6 25
5 30	6 55	8 40	9 40
5 45	9 05		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

‖ Runs to Lowell Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

STEAMSHIP TICKETS.

Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Allan, Anchor, Warren, French, German, and Italian steamship lines to or from Boston, New York, Liverpool, and Queenstown. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England, Scotland, and all parts of the world. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's steamship agency, 15 Appleton st.

Big Size Preserving Kettles.

Enameled ware, they are just what you want at this season; one with a pound of 60-cent tea while they last. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

T. C. Lee, Fire Ins., 223 Central st.

Dennis J. Murphy, Attorney-at-Law, Rooms 53-54 Central Block, Central St.

Banjo, guitar and mandolin lessons. W. E. Stratton, 14 Hildreth building.

John J. O'Connor, Attorney-at-Law, Rooms 53-54 Central Block, Central St.

There is talk that many changes will be made in the corps of evening school teachers.

Lost—A St Bernard pup, about ten months old. Last seen on Middlesex street. Reward at 324 Market street.

Do you want grain of the crop of '96? W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, will sell you some.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Roarke & Sullivan have opened a new office at Fiske & Spaulding's old stand, 223 Central street. Leave your orders for coal there.

The Rochester Fair, management has likewise succeeded in securing Captain Dodd's crack troop, F., U. S. cavalry of New Hampshire as an attraction. There could be no better drawing card.

NEWSBOYS, ATTENTION!

To the boys selling the largest number of papers at my agency between September 15th and December 15th, I shall give the folowing prizes: To the boy selling the largest number of papers, a silver watch; to the boy selling the next largest number a nickle plated pair of skates; and to the third a cap and pair of gloves. This contest is open to all boys who may find it convenient to take their papers at my agency. Now is the time to HUSTLE. —Mrs. Roberts. Lawrence street.

THE BILL WAS PAID.

At last the city treasurer has paid Riley Brothers their bill of $2500 for the plumbing job at the police station. Marshal Bailey opposed the bill and caused so much opposition to its payment that it was necesary to have Inspector Garrity of Lowell visit the police station and make an estimate of the value of the work done. His report was in direct contradiction of the charges made by Marshal Bailey that the bill was excessive. The job was completed seven months ago, but they have only just received the money due them.—Lawrence Register.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUSES.

The democrats of Lowell are hereby requested to meet in caucus in their respective districts, and on Wednesday, September 15, at 7.30 p. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates to the state, councillor county and senatorial and representative conventions of 1897. The basis of representation has been fixed at one delegate at large for each city and town, and each ward of a city and one additional delegate for each one hundred votes or a majority fractional part thereof cast in the year 1896 for the electors for the democratic candidate for president. The basis of representation will be the same for delegates to the councillor, county, senatorial, and representative conventions.

The caucuses will be held as follows, and are entitled to the following delegates:

Ward 1—Jackson Hall, five delegates.

Ward 2—Green School, eight delegates.

Ward 3—Branch Street Engine House three delegates.

Ward 4—Lyon Street School, eight delegates.

Ward 5—Boston & Maine Depot, eight delegates.

Ward 6—Engine House on Sixth St., five delegates.

Ward 7—Engine House on Fletcher St., five delegates.

Ward 8—Highland school house on Pine St., three delegates.

Ward 9—Engine House, High St., five delegates.

The chairman of the ward committee in said wards is hereby designated to call ward caucuses to order and preside until a chairman is chosen.

These caucuses will be held in accordance with Chapter 469 of the Acts of 1895 or acts in amendment thereto.

—J. Joseph Hennessy, Chairman of Democratic City Committee.

—T. H. Muldoon, Secretary of the Democratic City Committee.

Everybody Says So.

Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day; 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

KILLED BY TRAIN

Wendell H. Ordway Well Known in Lowell.

FELL FROM A TRAIN NEAR TORONTO.

Ran the Bijou With Al. Haynes.

Word was received yesterday of the accidental death in Toronto, Saturday, of Wendell Howard Ordway, well known in the theatrical profession in this city, and well liked by his many friends, both in and out of the profession.

Details as to the cause of his death are meager, but it is understood that a sudden shock caused a fall from a moving train, the wheels of which passed over his body. He lived but a short time after the accident.

Mr. Ordway was born in Stratham, N. H., 37 years ago, and had been connected with theatrical and amusement enterprises in various capacities since he was 18. His easy flow of language and ready acquisition of facts and incidents, and the facility with which he imparted information made him specially valuable as a lecturer in shows where introductions are needed and he was never at a loss for an engagement.

His first engagement was in Boston, where a model of the famous Strasburg clock was on exhibition, his share being the delivery of the descriptive lecture. He was with Barnum in that showman's venture in London, and on his return from England secured an engagement as lecturer at the old Nickleodeon, on Court street, Boston, then just starting. When that place of amusement was made into a theatre, he was for a time the assistant manager, leaving, however, for a better situation in the West. Boston next saw him last winter as lecturer at the Zoo, where thousands listened with interest to his explanation of the many attractions.

This summer he has been west with Ferara's Noah's Ark, a trained animal show, and at the time of his death he was on his way to take a position with Al. Haynes in his Fall River amusement enterprise.

Mr. Ordway's genial, whole-souled temperament won him many friends, and his death will be sincerely mourned He leaves a wife, quite well known on the vaudeville stage as Phyllis Ruffell.

Mr. Ordway was here on the South common with Noah's Ark, as lecturer.

PUGILIST IN JUG

HELD FOR KNOCKING OUT HIS COACHMAN—SUED FOR $2000 DAMAGES.

New York, Sept. 14.—There was no kinetoscope there to fix the battle on the imperishable film, but Robert Fitzsimmons caught another man on the solar plexus on Saturday and subsequent proceedings interested him—the other man—no more for half an hour.

Now he is chasing the pugilist with a warrant of arrest. The other man was Howard J. Paterson, who has for six weeks been the prize fighter's coachman in Rye, Westchester County. Robert Beck, who has been visiting Fitzsimmons, intended to return to this city by the 12.25 train on Saturday. So his host ordered the coachman to hitch up the $2000 trotters and convey him and his guest to the railway station.

Alas, the trotters never trotted so fast, but when they arrived at the station, the 12.25 train was two minutes on its way to New York. For this Paterson was discharged and when he demanded his money, Fitzsimmons hit him in the solar plexus, which knocked Paterson out for half an hour.

Yesterday, on Paterson's complaint, Judge Clery of Rye issued a warrant for Fitzsimmons' arrest on the charge of assault in the third degree. Two constables who were charged with the service of the warrant, returned without the champion, reporting that he "could not be found."

He was arrested this morning at New York and has been sued for $2000 damages.

May Make Trouble With the Women.

The city council of Zurich, Switzerland, recently ordered that there be posted in every street car on the municipal lines the following notice: "Women have the first right to the seats in the interior of this car." Heretofore when a man has offered his seat to a woman it has been regarded by her as an insulting familiarity, and it is predicted by the Swiss and German newspapers that the attempt to enforce this ordinance will encounter obstacles from the women themselves.

Sixty and Seventy-four.

Isaac Selover, 74 years old, a widower and a wealthy farmer of Spottswood, N. J., and Miss Mary Phillips, a spinster, 60 years old, have just been married. Selover lived with his son, a married man, 40 years old, but it is said that he and his son did not agree, so he thought he would get married again, and Miss Phillips agreed to become his wife. His children were opposed to the marriage, but Selover insisted that he knew his own business.

That Spot...

First size of a dime; next size of a dollar; then big as the palm of your hand. The end: entire baldness. Stop it.

Ayer's Hair Vigor Makes Hair Grow

PERSONAL.

Charles H. Loring of this city has been granted an increase of pension.

Misses Cora L. and Myra J. Reed have just returned from a nine weeks' trip to Richford, Vt., and Canada.

Mr. Christopher Hagan of Warren street left yesterday to resume his studies at St. John's college, Fordham, N. Y.

Miss Kelly of Kingston, N. Y., who has been visiting Lowell friends for the past six weeks will return to her home today.

Miss Ethel Neale of Phillips stret, one of Lowell's promising young elocutionists, assisted at several entertainments given at Hampton beach, where she has been spending a vacation.

Mr. W. H. Day a well-known vocalist of Laconia, N. H., is the guest of his uncle, Mr. J. Avison Baker, at the home of the latter on South Loring street.

Rev. Fr. Reynolds and Rev Fr. McRory have returned to Lowell after assisting at the retreat at Tewksbury.

Miss Emily Gulline of Dover, N. H., daughter of James Gulline, formerly of the Merrimack Print Works, has been visiting Miss Helen F. Short, Sixth street. She returns home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hanford have returned from a six weeks' vacation spent at the Green Mountains. Mr. Hanford spent the first of the summer visiting friends in England.

Mr. Frank Cummings, who has been in the employ of the Narragansett Machine Co., of Providence, for some time, is spending his vacation at the home of his parents on South Highland street.

Dr. E. H. Packer returned home from his vacation yesterday.

John J. Graham and Arthur Hassett left yesterday for Worcester to resume their studies at Holy Cross college.

Rev. Frs. Michael O'Brien and R. S. Burke of St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. McManus of St. Peter's church, and Rev. William O'Brien of St. Michael's church, went to Randolph yesterday to visit Rev. D. J. Gleason, who was appointed there recently. Fr. Gleason was in Lowell last week and expressed himself as well satisfied with his new pastorate.

Miss Abbie M. Smith and Mrs. M. E. Dudley left yesterday for New York, to look up fall styles in millinery.

John J. McHugh, William Finnick, John O'Hearn, and Frank McNamara, students at St. John's seminary, Brighton, have returned to pursue their course.

Miss Kate Mulhearn of Haverhill spent the last few days with friends in this city.

John Meehan has returned to St. Bonaventure's seminary, Alleghany, N. Y.

Edward F. Saunders has returned to resume his studies at Mt. St. Mary's seminary, Emmitsburg, Md.

T. A. Bertrand of Worcester is visiting here.

A party of twenty young ladies will enjoy a sail up the river to Harmony grove tomorrow night. The party will be under the management of Thomas H. Muldoon, Dr. J. E. Leary, and F. A. M. Tobin.

TWO BIG PALMS.

They Will Spread Their Huge Branches In the Pension Office.

The United States pension office is to have the largest palm ever grown under artificial conditions. There are now two mammoth palms in the Botanical gardens. These growths of the south have been placed in the hothouse at the gardens having the highest roof, but so high have they grown that it has become necessary constantly to trim them at the top.

They have attained a height of 40 feet, with trunks about a foot in diameter. Their beauty has been largely destroyed by the necessity of constant trimming. The officials of the pension office have since the incoming of the present administration sought to secure a tropical growth about the fountain in the great court of the pension office, and, learning of these mammoth palms, have taken means to secure them if possible.

They will doubtless succeed, as the trees will be destroyed if not removed from the Botanical gardens. One or both will be planted at the side of the fountain, where they will have room to tower up 100 feet or more and to spread their foliage without hindrance. It is believed that within a few years they will become one of the great sights of the capital, for nowhere else are such plants grown in captivity to such proportions, and there are few places where they could attain the size which can be permitted in the court of the pension office. —Exchange.

PLEASE bear in mind the fact that the "best," or the "standard," in all lines commands a fair price. See list of the brands of Pure White Lead which are the standard. They are the best. Avoid those brands said to be "just as good," offered for "less money," and of "so called White Lead."

PURE WHITE LEAD

SALEM LEAD CO. 100 WARRANTED PURE. SALEM, MASS.

FREE By using National Lead Co.'s Pure White Lead Tinting Colors, any desired shade is readily obtained. Pamphlet giving valuable information and card showing samples of colors free; also cards showing pictures of twelve houses of different designs painted in various styles or combinations of shades forwarded upon application to those intending to paint.

NATIONAL LEAD CO., BOSTON BRANCH,
Cor. Congress and Purchase Sts., Boston, Mass.

NAVAL VETERANS

THE RESOLUTIONS OFFERED BY JUDGE-ADVOCATE CHARLES COWLEY.

At the recent annual convention of the National Association of Naval Veterans, at Buffalo, it is reported that Judge-Advocate-General Charles Cowley, of Lowell, Mass., offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this convention heartily approves of the project of the late Major-General William B. Hazen, to establish and maintain on Castle Pinckney Island, in Charlestown Harbor, S. C., a sanitarium for the benefit of disabled officers and men, both regulars and volunteers, of the army and navy of the United States.

Whereas Surgeon-General James Rufus Tyron of the United States navy has caused a suitable obelisk to be erected at Fort Moultrie, on Sullivan's Island, S. C., over the remains of the officers and men of the U. S. S. Patapsco, who perished near that fort, January 15, 1865, when that historic vessel was sunk by a Confederate torpedo; and whereas Captain F. V. Abbot, of the U. S. army and Commander M. R. S. Mackenzie of the U. S. navy have in their several respective capacities been instrumental in causing said obelisk to be erected; therefore,

Resolved, That the thanks of the National Association of the Naval Veterans be tendered to Surgeon-General James R. Tyron, Captain F. V. Abbot, and Commander M. R. S. Mackenzie, for all that they have done in memory of the lost officers and men of the U. S. S. Patapsco.

FUNERAL

MARSHALL—The funeral of Daniel Marshall of Pelham, N. H., took place from his late home at 1 o'clock, Rev. Augustus Berry officiating. The singing was by Mrs. William Dudley, Miss Ethel Webster, Mr. Wm. O. Butler, and Mrs. Wm. P. Butler. Burial was at North Pelham.

Daniel Marshall died at his home in North Pelham on Saturday morning, after a brief illness. He was well advanced in life, having celebrated the 50th anniversary of his marriage several years ago. Mr. Marshall was the only son of the late Isaac Marshall. He was born in Pelham, Nov. 19, 1816. Jan. 9, 1838, he was united in marriage with Hannah J. Campbell, who survives him. He was a prosperous farmer, and a member of the Congregational church, beloved by a wide circle of friends. He leaves three sons, Isaac C. of Pelham, William C. and Moses R. of Laconia, and one daughter, Mrs. Louise Bell of Lowell.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL.

The American Benevolent association held a meeting in Union hall last night and entertained a few friends of the order from Lawrence.

The United Order of Independent Odd Ladies held their regular meeting last evening and initiated one candidate. The social circle in connection with the order will meet this afternoon and evening with Mrs. A. H. Schoolcraft and Mrs. J. H. Colburn, 45 and 46 Bowditch street.

Court Middlesex, No. 23, F. of A., had the first exemplification, last night, of the new ritual adopted at the recent session of the Grand Court in Denver. District Deputy McPadden was present and there was one initiation under the new ritual.

Concord Lodge, Fraternal Helpers, held their regular semi-monthly meeting last evening in Post 120 Hall, doing only routine business. The degree staff drilled for a short ime. A committee was appointed to prepare for social entertainments for their members once a month. Messr. Allen, Ross, Needham, and Mesdames Bailey and McLeod were named.

Thistle lodge, I.O.G.T., had an entertainment last night, at which the following program was rendered: Piano selections, W. A. Barrington; song, Michael Gorman; song, Margaret Dobson; song, Jennie Atkinson; reading, Mrs. J. Kane. reading, Miss Malloy; reading, Joseph Bickford; dialogue, Margaret and David Dobson. Games were enjoyed during the remainder of the evening.

General Fiske lodge, Good Templars, had an important meeting last night and entertained guests from other local lodges. H. C. Flanders presented the lodge a biography of Clinton B. Fiske.

POLICE COURT—FRYE, J.

Judge Frye presided over the court this morning.

The case of Patrick J. Hallinan, whom, it is alleged set a fire in the rear of Dickson Bros.' tea store, was called first and was continued until next Thursday.

There were 13 drunks. Six first offenders were fined $1.

Annie Connors, charged with a third offense of drunkenness was sent to the workhouse for four months.

Minnie Kennedy pleaded not guilty of drunkenness through her counsel, E. D. McVey, Esq.

Officer Fitzpatrick testified that the Kennedy woman was arrested from a house on Lakeview avenue this morning.

"How drunk was she?" asked Lawyer McVey.

"She was stiff drunk, abusively drunk, staggering drunk," said Officer Fitz.

"Was she intellectually drunk?" inquired Lawyer McVey.

"Oh, she was drunk all through, a total drunk," answered the witness.

Later when they were talking about the house Lawyer McVey said: "What right had you to take her out of that house?"

"She had no right in there," said the officer.

"Yes, she did," answered the lawyer. "She was invited and you weren't."

"I don't doubt that," said the redoubtable "Fitzy," whom a Gatling gun wouldn't rattle. "All the bums are invited there."

Lieutenant Brosnan and Officer Swan also testified that the defendant was drunk, but she denied the charge. Lawyer McVey made a lengthy argument upon the illegality of the officer's act in taking the woman from a house without a warrant.

A Precocious Colored Boy.

J. R. Thompson, a negro boy, 11 years of age, living near Savoyard, Ky., has already mastered the common school rudiments of his scholastic education and is away up in algebra, geometry, astronomy, calculus and the higher branches. He is said to be a lightning calculator and a marvel in many respects.

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CRISP GOSSIP

"We are thorry to thay," explained the editor of the Skedunk Weekly News, that our compothing room wath entered lath night by thome unknown thcoundrel, who stole every 'eth' in the ethablithment and thucceeded in making hith ethcape undetected.

"It hath been impothible, of courth, to procure a new thupply of etheth in time for thith ithue, and we are thuth compelled to go to preth in a thituation moth embarrathing and dithrething, but we can thee no other courth to purthue than to make the betht thtagger we can to get along without the mithing letter and we therefore print 'The Newth' on time, regardleth of the loth we have thuthtained.

"The motive of the mithoreant doubtleth wath revenge for thome thuppothed inthult.

"It thhall never be thaid that petty thpite of any thmall-thouled villain hath dithabled 'The Newth,' and if thith meet the eye of the detethable rathcal we beg to athure him that he under-ethtimateththe rethourceth of a firth-clath newthpaper when he thinkth he can cripple it hopelethly by breaking into the alphabet. We take occathion to thay to him furthermore that before next Thurthday we thall have three timeth ath many etheth ath he thole.

"We have reathon to thuthpect that we know the cowardly thkunk and if he ith ever theen prowling about thith ethtablithment again, by day or by night, nothing will give uth more thatithfaction than to thoot hith hide full of holeth."—Boston Transcript

Bargains in all departments is the keynote of J. L. Chalifoux's ad. today. His windows are filled with novelties of the season marked at popular prices.

It is expected that a large number of young ladies will take the examination for applicants for positions as evening school teachers next Saturday.

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